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EVANGELINE BOOTE

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SI w Work but Steady Advance—The Wandering War Gry Boomer and the Policeman who was Fined for Arresting Him -- The Marvelious

Faith of Our Italian Converts-Platuresque Venice—The Cuitoms Officer and His Wife -A Buoal Patron.

HE Salvation Army into a difficult and slow work in Italy. The Blood-and-Fire Flag has been glying there for eight corps and thirty-one officers for all the lebor and money expended during this period.

Those who judge things by bare results will put the down as very unsatisfactory. Some, who remember that other agencies have been five times as long on the same field and cannot show anything approaching this, share-an entirely different view, those who are close to the Army's work, and estimate its value by its othercater, and not by its numerical return, consider it very

Encouraging, if Mot Remorkable.

Escouraging, if flot Remerkable.

For instance, these bare figures give ne indication that almost every working-man and tradesman has, at one time or another, attended Salvation Army meetings in Leghorn: that the officers have free and ready access to all the cafes, 'n which they sell and sing out of their periodicals: that the great town of Bologna har recently received the Salvation Army with unmistakable signs of interest and sympathy; and that in the city of Turin, where we have our Headquarters, people of all grades treat representatives of the Army with marks of profound regard.

The ether day a War Cry wiler was decred over the boundary-line prescribed for him and sold a War Cry in a public arreade.

A policeman, ignorant of the Army of the profound reade.

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A policeman, ignorant of the Army, and imagining by the man's uniform that he was a revolutionist, or some other disturber of the peace, seized and marched him to the Central Police Station.

"What is this man charged with?" the chief inspector asked.

" Selling Dangerous Papers

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In one of the public areades."
"Why, he is a Sayattonist! You ought to have told him that the areade was forbidden for his paper-selling, one of the would have gone elsewhere. Saltmitonists are law-shiding people. The policeman asked, hather dejectedly. "People and he better let alone; and salted, rather dejectedly are solved in a nark of my displeasure at your onduct and ignorance, I order your on pay for all the papers this other has still ansold!"
Then Bigguider Gilbera, who, with his wife, is in command of Indy, speaks in very suggestive terms of the visit of the converted of the papers of the surface when become a superior on the surface when the converte a nominal Catholice, or to equite correct, men and women who possess but the

Shreds of a Religious Bellef,

their simplicity, faith, eagerness to learn the practical life of a Christian, thirst for the word of God, and hon-esty of testimony, and an utter ab-

sence of Protestant phrases, is delightful. If we only had thousands for the hundreds we have in Italy, we should soon raise up a distinctly new and in-

St. Mark's Square. A front view of this magnificent Square.

teresting pcople." Brigadler. Keep believing.

The Brigadier furnished a somewhat The Brigadier furnished a somewhat amusing instance of the ignorance— fortunately combined with charming childlikeness—which they have to overcome before the rudiments of Bible truth can be implanted in these converts.

This is it : One of the best soldlers

of a corps assumed, in the innocence of her faith, that her officers possessed the gift of omniscence and omnipres-ence. Whatever they commanded her to do she did it as if God Himself is-sued the order. If anyone dared to speak loosely or swearingly in her household, she immediately ejected such a person, giving forth, as her authority, that her

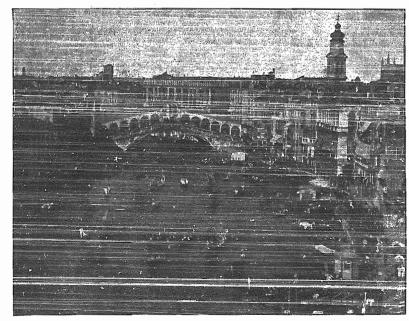
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in her house, and she must not allow
anything offensive to them: I

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lidocy, or rank crankiness; but this
but a sample—though above the
average in extremenoss—of the class
of people out of whom the Saivation
Army is making in Italy spleadid patterms of trath, rightousness and love.
There never has been any violent
opposition or persecution of the Army
in Italy. With the exception of a few
places here and there, this can be said
of all countries we have gone to, where
the Catholic form of religion is acceptob y the majority. But there exists the Catholic form of religion is accepted by the majority. But there exists what is more detrimental to an aggressive organization like ours; an underground something—it would be an exaggeration to call it a system which prevents us keeping a fair proportion of our converts. We do not compilath. Why should we?

We expect to encounter difficulties; and there is no cloud without its elivery lining, no fight without some permanent and fair-reaching advantages, even if the fight, for the hour, looks a losing one.

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A Fostival on the Grand Canal, Venice. The famous Rigito Bridge is seen in the distance.

OUT WEST.

FROM MY POINT OF VIEW

By BRIGADIER MRS. READ.

Happy Marriages and Other Things

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Winnipeg campaign has been reported by the Press of the Prairie City, and through the columns of the Cry, and through the columns of the Cry, but there are one or two things I would like to mention in that city.

"In the column of the column of the cry that the column of the two years' command of the Home. She has made many improvements in the house, and here, as elsewhere through the Territory, the blessed "home touch" is a powerful influence for good among those who, from time to time, come under our care. Airs, Jewer has seen some wonderful instances of God's free grace as manifested in the girls she and her colleagues have been instrumental in saving.

colleagues have been instrumental in saving.

I was much impressed with the fact that 15 oil of the 68 girls resemed during the year were restored to their home or friends. Then six have been happily marded to respectable, industrious, Christian citizens. It was source of gratification to me to personally speak to four of the abovementioned, who came smillingly in to partake of the bright ten provided for the Home girls and outside girls. That the Rescue Home has a great influence in the city goes without saying. Not only dealth of the continue their support and interest, but new once have been added to the drivent friends on the control of th

the Rescue views according to this work by an annual grant of \$250, for the reason we believe we are saved much more than this in actual outlary by the work dene by the Army in this direction. I entirely approved of their work and our grant.

our grant."

Mrs. Jewer has waged a brave war-fare, and has been nobly assisted by Ensign Ogilvie and Capt. Glover.

League of Mercy Again.

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Major Jewer has visited Police fourt and hospitals, and other visitation has been done from time to time y different commutes, but, as unity is trength, all these efforts are being attiliated, new avenues of blessing in institutional visitation are to be entered, and a systematic work, similar to ther cities, carried ou. I had the classure of organizing and commissioning a new branch of the League. The large crowd gathered Sunday sight were deeply interested in the ouching little eeremony. The Matroof the Rescue Home will be in charge, and dother Itablicht will not as Sergt-Major. Several other dear comrades were carrolled. were enrolled.

were enrolled.

An enjoyable time was spent at the ten in the Home, at which the new Provincial Officers, Major and Mrs. Southall, and Mrs. Langtry, were present. These four days add to the store of past bright memories, and I must blesships to be recounted in the morning "when the tailsts have roiled

Brandon's Night.

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It was a matter of regret to me that, owing to the fact of a necessary detention in Vancauver, I found it impossible to visit Calgary. I had looked forward much to doing so, but still hope for it some future day, had to return to Brandon after Winnlegs, but was tuily repuld nor the extra fourney. We trad a delightful me. A barracks fairly weight spirit me. A barracks fairly weight spirit pervaded the meeting. The common the common of the meeting spirit per a spirit of the fairly of the spirit per a spirit of the fairly of th

Portage la Prairie.

A cold morning found me ngain en route for the railway station anticipat-ing a good time at Portage. I was

obliged to cancel one night here, but in spite of this we had a nice, interested, and interesting crowd. I was sorry to find Mrs. Westacott very iii, also the little daughter of these contrades. Whatever change time makes in people and places, it does not affect these brave Western soldiers in respect to the warmth of their affection and he hearttless of their greeting, and Portage la Prairie friends were not wanting in either. Biess them!

It is rather late to mention my visit to New Westimister, B. C., but I cannot omit if, although it was of the heifests indure. Adji, Ayre's invitation was only received 21 hours prior to the meeting, but he created an in-

to the meeting, but he created an in-terest in that 24 hours with the con-sequence that a good crowd greeted us as we entered the cheerful new

barracks. Here, as cisewhere, I felt that five years brings its alterations. Some old friends are far away in other icids. Some are gone to the Homeland. Others in this pretty fown are still pressing ouward and inpward "towards the prize." The town has been fire-swept, but new and attractive buildings are rapidly obliterating all its traces. Father Holtz had some happy words of welcome to say, Adji. Ayre, though not strong, and Markers are making an impression for eternity.

My Last Sunday in the West.

It was a great pleasure to spend a Sanday with dear Ensign and Mrs. Habkirk at Rat Portage. We had a bright, useful, and I believe profitable week end. The crowds were interested



The Most Wonderful Book.

A nation must be truly blessed if it were governed by no other laws than those of this blessed book. It is so complete a system that nothing can be added to it or taken from it; it contains everything needful to be known or done; it affords a copy for a subject; it gives instruction and counsel to a senate; authority and direction for a magistrate; it cautions a witness; requires an impartial verdict of a jary, and turnishes the judge with his sentence; it sets the instancian as tord of the household, and the wife sa instress of the table; fells him how to rule and her how to manage. In cautilish homor to pureus, and engalished inside the sway of the soverelessed inside the sway of the soverelessed inside the sway of the soverelessed to hone, and the serverse to home, and the serverse to have a server serverse to have a server serverse to have a server server.

Direction for Weddings and Funerals.

It gives directions for weddings and burials; regulates feasts and fasts. burials; regulates feasts and fasts, mournings and rejoritings, and orders labor for the day and rest for the night; it promises food and rainment, and limits the use of both; it points out a faitbrill and eternal Guardian to the departing husband and father; tells him with Whom to leave his fatherless children, and lu Whom his widow is to trust (for. xiix. 11; and, promises a Father to the former, and It foncless a man, how to set his

a Hushand to the latter.
It tenches a man how to set his house in order, and how to make his house in order, and how to make his will; It appoints a downy for a wife, and entails the right of the first-Lora and shows how the younger branches should be left. It defends the rights of all; and revents vergence to every defrander, over-reacher and on-

pressor.
It is the first book, the best book, and the oldest book in all the world. It contains the choleste matter, gives the best instruction, and affords the greatest pleasure and satisfaction that ever was revealed.

It contains the best laws and pro-foundest mysteries that were ever penned. It brings the best tidings, announcing that Jesus Curlst came into the world to save shuners (i. Tim. I. 15), and affords the best comfort to the inquiring and disconsolate. It exhibits life and immortality from everlasting, and shows the way to ever-lasting glory.

History and Prophecy.

It is a brief recitor of alt that is passed, and a certain prediction et all that is to come. It settlers all matters in debates, recovers all deaths, and cases the initial and control of the control of all that trust in them. In short, it is a book of law to show right and wrong; a book of wisdom that economic all folly, and makes the foolish whee; a hook of truth that detects all liep and contutes all errors; end of It is a brief recital of all that is

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It is the nost componitions book in all the world; the most ancient, au-thourie, and the most entertaining life tory that ever was published; it con-tains the most early antiquities strange event, wonderfuel were, as head-ribes the celestial, terrestrial, and infernal worlds; and the origin of the Angelic myriads, human relies and in-fernal legions. It will instruct the most accomplished mechanic, and the profoundest artist, it will teach the best rhetoriclan, and exercise every power of the most skilled arithmeti-ian; (Rev. xiii, 18), puzzle the wises automist, and exercise the free automist, and exercise the re-anatomist, and exercise the re-ported automist. critic. It corrects the value philosopher, and guides the wise astronomer, it exposes the subtle sophist, and makes diviners mad. It is a complete code of laws a perfect body of divinity, an unequalted narrative a book of lives, a book of natural history, a book of travels a book of voyages, it is the best covenant that was ever agreed the best covenant that was ever agreed on, the best deed that ever was sealed, the best will that was ever made, and the best testament that ever yet was signed. To understand it, is to be destitute of wisdom. It is the the destitute of wisdom. It is the king's best copy, the magistrate's best rule, the housewife's best guide, the servant's best directory, and the young man's best companion.

First Beader and Highest Book.

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It is the school-boy's spelling-book, and the learned man's master piece; it contains a grammar for the novlee, and a profound mystery for the sage, it is the gracerant man's declamary. It is the gracerant man's declamary in a face of the grave and dark services for the grave; and it is incompared for the grave; and the incompared for the grave; and the incompared for the grave; and it is incompared for the grave; and the over-compared for the predict in the grave of the strong man's substantial dish.

It is the lady's best looking-glass

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It is the lady's best looking-glass It is the lady's best looking-glass Ol. Cor. iii. 18s, in white she may see both her heart and her face, and the heart of everybody else. It is an exact balance, in which a man may weigh both his spirit and his actions, and tell the exact weight of actions, and tell the exact weight of this self-and all mankind (Ps. 18h, in himself and all mankind (Ps. 18h, in himself and all mankind (Ps. 18h, in all seven surse (kev. it. D. and an awfin' cellipse to the dammed; and it neverties a world, of which he prographeved is a world, of which he prographeved in the self-and in the prographer of which he had been deep and a way of which he had been deep the wildings of self-and and which the prographer of which he had been deep the wildings of self-and and which the prographer of which he wildings of self-and in the wildings of self-and in the work of the self-and in the wildings of self-and in the self-and in the

It promises freedom indeed to all who emprace the truth of it freedom from the reign of sia, Satan, and death from the reign of sia, Satan, and deal-and except a finar receive the train, the real truth, and that in the love or it, he never shall be able to govern himself, or to bridle this temper, his passions, his tongue, or nis sha! And that which crowns all is, that the Author is without partiality and with out hypocrity,—"in Whom is no vari-ableness or shadow of turning,"— Apont. in the various subjects discoursed

was muon us.

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On Sunday night the League of Mercy was combissioned, and I believe they was combissioned, and I believe they will necompile great things and the state of the st

A Port and a Fort.

I was pleased to comply with Adji. Bradley's request to take a meeting in Fort William, in addition to the already-announced Social meeting in

alicady-announced Social meeting in Port Artiur.

The Preshyterian Church was kindly handed to us for the Port Arthurmeeting, and the Methodist Church in Fort William. In the former place the pastor, Rev. Mi. Murray, presided, and was most cordul in his greeting and strong in bis endorsement of the work. After the address the Methodist milister, Rev. Mr. Saunby, gooks briefly of his interest and the personal ideasing he had received. Mr.S. Global diseasing he had received by the content of the pastor in putting it to the meeting and the beat way of showing appreciation was to give a good collection. This surgestion was acted upon and a nice offering given. Airs. Bradiey spoke a few bright words of graditude for the cordinality of our Presbyterian friends. Rev. Mr. Abbot took charge of the service in the Fort. Capt. Livingstone had worked hard to seeme a crowd, and although it was a bitterly cold might, and a few nights before Christmas, a very fair number were present. Apt. Livingstone is doing well in Fort William; his little barracks was model of neutness, and prettily and tastefully decorated with Yuletide electrowies. This was the finale to my long four. The Presbyterian Church was kind-

covergreens. This was the finale to my long tour.

I cannot close without adding a vorid of the deepest appreciation for all the hearty co-operation, and assistance of the officers of the two provinces the Provinced Officers, their Staff and Field.

The Press, too, everywhere were most controots and gave lengthy reports of the meetings and the work; especially is this true of Spokune, Winder, Vancouver, and Butte Oily. A fourney which covers over six thousand eight hundred miles, and includes 42 meetings, in addition to councils. ac meetings, in addition to councile, interviews, correspondence, etc., clothes the welcome of loved ones and a few hours of seclusion within home's precinets with a sacred preclousness. Looking back to the 12th of November I feel like adopting the drying words of the satured John Wesley—changing the tense from the present to the past—and writing: "The best of all is, tool was with us,"

Business with a stranger is title e-

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HELP FOR ALL IN LEGAL DIFFICULTIES.

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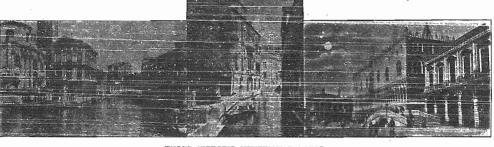
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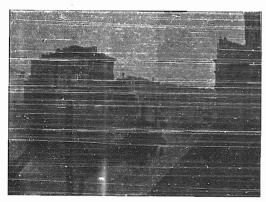
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Palazzo Labbia, In which we opened our work

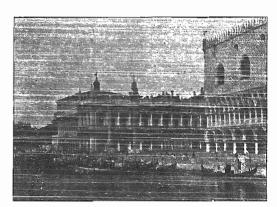
THREE HISTORIC VENETIAN PALACES.
Palazzo Sanudo Van-Axel.

Palazzo Ducale.

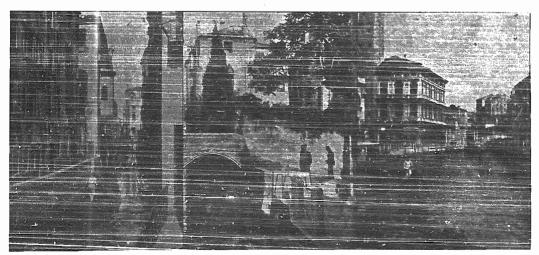


One of the Finost Canals of Venice.

The inevitable Sapollo advertisement stares one in the face even in fair Italy.



A View of St. Marcus Square,



Expressmen do not require to keep horses, as everything is delivered by boat.

Here we have a very romantic peep over the garden Walls of Venice.

Palazzo Labbiajis the name of the preminent building above. Here we had our first hall and opened fire on Venice.



Sermonettes.

By REV. DR. CLIFFORD.

The Secret of all Progress.
Christ is the Lord both in the phy-Christ is the Lord both in the physical and social order, making them one and indivisible, not co - ordinate, but co - operative. He is immanent, from top to bottom, from floor to ceiling of the temple of itte; natural and auroan. It is His bubitation, and His ministry of the Gospel is the fullest manifestation of His energy; in fellowship with Him we are at once placed in con-Him we are at once placed in communion with the soul and secret of all harmony and of all progress.

Down with the Drink.

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Better "put your money in a stocking" and get nothing for it, than place it in the grip of those millionaires of the trusts, or into a brewery or a bad business, or a good business injustly managed and get big dividends, and, oh! awful addition! wrecked homes, blighted lives, and ruined souls! The world of industry must be organized in comformity with the spirit and teaching of the Son of Man, and made in every part of it the means of realizing the brotherhood of mankind. _0-

Wanted-More Oil

Man says of God's world that it is ill-constructed, its forces ill-assorted. Ill-constructed, its forces ill-ansorted, its administration detective and biundering, the worst of all possible worlds—but come with me into a factory; not one of your own, but oue of fancy! See the elaborate machinery, wheel titting to wheel, and cog fitting with perfect accuracy, and yet you have harsh noises, slow movement, wasting friction! What is wanted? New machinery, fresh workmen! No! 'The one thing needed is oil. So the human order is arranged to be worked with the oil of kindness, and kindly consideration, and arrangenes of view, and genuine love.

The Goal of Religion.

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The religion of the Son of Man will not have reached its goal, till it has surned the family into a church and the home into a temple, trade into a scarament and art into worship, science into an interpreter of the workings of the Infinite, and journalism into a prophecy for God to men, sport into true culture and pleasure itself into a holy sacrifice, government, societies, and nations into organs of the Kingdom of Heaven, and the whole earth into a Paradise of the Father and His redeemed sons.

WEALTH IN FRIENDSHIP.

Next in value to the love and grace of God is true, strong human friendship. In our bright, prosperous hours we are not apply to realize the full worth to us of our friends. We do not know how much of our friends. We do not know how much of our from the to the full worth to us of our friends. We do not know how much of our prosperity: not do use the notion of the full worth the notion of the full worth the notion of the full worth when the notion of the full worth when we meet on a railway car or a stemboat, at the house of a friend or amid the baseons of life—as when two ships meet on the broad sea speak to each other and pass on never to meet again—we know not what blessings he brings to us from God, nor how that translent and casual meeting will affect our whole after-life. We know not what touches, delicate and beautiful, upon the enance of our soul, there will be for ever, which the fingers of that chance friend left there.

Every soul that touches ours leaves its impression on us. We get good from every pure, gentle, gental companions of even a few moments. How much more, inen, do we receive from the friend who walks by our side and whose friendship sings sweet songs in our ear and heart for years and years? There will be a silver thread in every flee why when it is funsted in every flee by every good and holy hand that tong ever been laid upon us in momentary greeting or benediction.

To count but few things necessary is the foundation of many virtues.—F. W. Newman.

THE STORYLOF X X X

A Salvation Army Grip

HE above title is quite suggestive.

One might suppose the writer
was to relate some results artending the grasp of a Salvationist's
hand, or possibly some sudden entry
into certain lightening environments
brought about by the Salvation Army
that would signify a sudden closing in
upon one's career. It is notifier one
of these experiences the writer wishes
to relate, but simply the travels of a
Salvation Army hand-satchel, commonly known as a "grip." The fact is
the writer only wishes to pen a few
lines of introduction, and let the grip
tell his own story. tell his own story.

My master and owner hought me some years ago in the City of St. John, N. B., and I have travelled with him here since, both by land and sea. We have journeyed from Bermuda's sunny isles to within sight of the snow-capped Rockies. Strange as the statement may appear, I cannot walk, though I have good hearing and can talk too, but in a languages foreign to others, though well understood by my master. The fact is, I never converse others, though well understood by my master. The fact is, I never converse with others, and it is only in the in-terests of the War Cry that I come out of my shell to relate a few of my experiences.

perionces. I nm my owner's closest friend and I mm my owner's closest friend and companion. We are rarely ever separated. There are several other companions who travel with me—a Miss Portfolio, and a Mr. Connectian; then in the summer a Mr. Cornet, while at this season of the year a Mr. Magic-Lantern forms a part of our retinue.

I nm a special favorite of my owner's and the only one usually taken into his private apartiments. Strange as it may seem, though, I am a servant, and my master says I render good service, ye's seeing I cannot waik, I have to be carried from place to place. I often wish I could walk, for my master is always loaded down, and if no one comes to the station to meet us, which I am inpur to is always and the country of the coun I am a special favorite of my owner's

My Cousins

I have two consins by the name of Valise, who travel in the same train, but assuable several cars ahead. I rarely even the several cars ahead. I rarely even to the the several cars and the training the several can only bid them the three I can only bid them the three of day and make a few enoutires as to how they are enjoying the trip.

of day and make a few enquires as to how they are enjoying the trip.

As I have alrendy told you, I can hear distinctly, and although I am somethy experience of the property of the property

NOW. I win ten you want specially not reduce I render the North-West T. F. S.

Summing it up in a nnt-shell, I am a sort of receptacle for everything needed—I diare not tell you all I continue to Hught mention a few things, for I am very heavily londed at times. I nare had people out of kind consideration for my master, take me up to entry me, and have wondered what made me so beavy. Of course, they would not be personal enough to mention it, yet I could see that wondering look on their faces, ac much as to save "Wintever is inside of you". One would think I had eaten a lead pudding, but not so. The truth Is, my muster often feeds me on

Copper Sausages

that come in his possession through the G. B. M. boxes. As cents are not in circulation much in the North-West, I have to carry them about for some

time, until my owner can dispose of them, and American peunies have to be borne across the border. You can readily see my weight is a prolitable one. I often read my master's thoughts concerning copper coinage, and though the concerning copper coinage, and though he appreciates the cente, for they make the dollars, yet he also desires that people would give more silver, for it makes dollars quicker, and is less burdensome.

(To be continued.)

Johnnie Morrison, X-Rumay.

Johnnie Morrison was born in old Bridgenort.

His first recollection of going openly into sin is that at the age of six years trying to use tobacco, which so often proves a stepping stone to drunkenness. At the age of nine he was found drunk for the first time.

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Johnnie worked in a coal mine for fifteen years. During all those years be would go on a booze every pay-day, until his hard-carned money was spent, then go home disappointed and mad, without money, to begin another fortnight in the pit.



Pub S .- M Morrison, Glace Bay,

One particular booze Johnnie well remembers. His father had sent him off with a horse and cart to get a load of coal, but he got druuk instead, so that he had to be pulled home in his own cart.

Johnnie says himself, "The sin and drunkenness of my life bas been aw-

The Salvation Army opened fire in

Tall."

The Salvation Army opened fire in Glace Bay four years ago, where Glace Bay four years ago, where the salvation is a been little early all of his time. He used the continued his time the used to be continued frequenter of the meetings, atthough more often drunk than solver. About a year after the Army's advent he got saved, which was a grand thing for himself and all concerned.

Many comical stories are still told Johnshe Morrison's life before conversion, but now he has got his "hande full," as he often says in bis testimony, working in the Army. He has won the respect of both saint and stoner by his thorough change and godly life. Two and a-half years ago he became Publication Sergt-Major, and has sluce done faithful service, selling his beloved War Crys. His customers also have a supported. Dozens of them say, "Johnshe Morrison has done a newly supported. Dozens of them say, "Johnshe Morrison has done a good Joh y giving up his drunken sprees," So says all the corps. God biess the rejulication Sergt-Major.—G. P. Thompson.

In the life of almost every girl there are, I am sure, regrets to be found in plenty; places in plenty where opportunities of love, or help, or gentless were overlooked or neglected. I had many such regrets in my life, yet in later years I think I made—ns everygirl may—stepping-stones of those regrets—stepping-stones to better and broader living.—"Autoblography of a Girl," in the January Ladies' Home Journal. In the life of almost every girl there

General Secretary's Jotungs

The Coumissioner's Massey Hall Demonstration on Feb. 1st, promises to celluse and out-distance everything that has ever gone before it in the Territory's listory. Huge and elaborate preparations are being made, and arrangements pushed along with all speed to this end.

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Of course, the chief interest will be the fact that the Commissioner herself will take charge of the proceedings, and under her wise and skilful direc-

will under her wise and skilful disco-tion o brilliant program, triumphantly erical out, can be safely guaranteed. Further, the Commissioner will de-liver an address. I have not yet learned defluitely what her subject is to be, but I am quite certain that it will be enptivating, fusefinating, thrilling, and full of that eloquent pathos that characterizes the Com-missioner's utterances, and, delivered with our beloved leader's accustomed vigor, is sure to make a mark for time and eternity on the hearts and minds of those who may be privileged to listeu to her. to listen to her.

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Any new Gentures, did you say? Certainly. We always go in for things new. The Salvation Army can no more exist on old triumphs than we can live yesterday over again, except in memory. Among the many interesting features of the Demonstration will be some quite unique, For instance, the youngest cornet soloist in Toronto will play a selection in ansterly style on her instrument. This prodigy is but nine years of age.

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What shall I say about the smallest drummer in the Salvation Army on earth? This young gentleman is but two years old, and on this auspictous occasion will be seen manipulating the drumsticks with amazing dexterity, keeping splendld time.

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There will also be a grand parade of "Tots." This regiment of tiny warriors, "arrayed in white robes," playing the timbrel, as they go through a series of evolutions in martial style, will be sure to bring down the house. --�][�--

Then, what shail I say with regard to the timbrel troupe, with their masterly drills and marches?

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There will also be vivid and realistic representations (in four scenes) of life in a Loudon Slum, an Indian village scene, and a Parisian cafe.

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Then last, but not lenst, there will be the grand panoramic representation of the "Evolution of Crime" in living, moving characters. The foregoing, in moving characters. The foregoing, in addition to the Commissioner's grand orchestra (the Commissioner's grand orchestra (the Commissioner herself playing the harp), the bar-bell brigade, the skight-bell troupe, the Social Staff, League of Mercy, Men's Social brigade, the famous Staff Band with nache, the famous Staff Band with nache, the famous Staff Band with selections on the plane, and all the items of interest, such as solos, ductts, etc., Impossible for me to mention here, will make up one of the grandest and most glorious programs it is possible to conceive.

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The day? Thursday. The time? 8 o'clock. The date? February Ist. The year? 1900. The building? The Massey Hall. The city? Toronto. Price of admission? By ticket, to cents. Will there be a crowd? Yes. Shall I be in time? If you are there at 7 o'clock. Can I depend on a front seat? Yes, if no one else is in the Everythody come! Come carly! Come believing! Come praying!

Personal Salvation.

Our whole salvation must be worked in personal thought, penifence, h, work, and sacrifice. You must faith, work, and sacrifice. You must let no one pray in your stead, glye in your stead, all in your stead, sing in your stead, or work in your stead. All is not stead, or work in your stead. If you seek great character, if you resolve to make your calling and election sure, you must prove the burden of responsibility, for out of the weight of responsibility comes the weight of giory.—Rev. W. L. Wilkinson.

ITALIAN INTELLIGENCE.

Here we are in Venice

Here we are in Venice—

bicturesque, light, beautiful Venice—
where the gondola takes the plare of
the street car, and where life is
supposed to run its course like a
supposed to run its course like a
supposed to run its course like a
supposed to run its supposition in
deed I Well, think of supposition in
beat a Well, think of supposition in
board a gondola, with bigadier Chibon beatter a drum wits one hand
and gulding his ceart with the citier,
Rs. Clibborn fingering a cutter,
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Rs. Clibborn fingering a survey
talain beating the tambourine, and a
venetian girl warbling a Salvation
solo to the passengers on the riverstreets! This has not yet actually occurred, but something more wouderful has: the Salvation Army has
made a start in Venice, and, everything considered, a fair start.
A customs officer, in complete uniform, is among the hopeful converts.
The night after he made a public confession of his salvation, his wife,
strongly resenting his action, came to
the burracks with him.
"It is not good," she said to the
officer, "that my husband should have
one religion and I another."
"No, certainly uot," the officer repilled, "why not have

Both One Religion ?"

"What ?" "The religion that loves Go. with all your heart and your neighbor as yourself—which makes peace at home, because God reigns in the heart."

because God reigns in the heart."

The wife was completely surprised to hear such piety come from the lips of one of these strange people, and she had no answer to give.

A thought struck her; she must, by one means or another, prevent her husbaud attending Army meetings, so she resorted to the undignified extrangem of suggesting that her husband was wrong in his head.

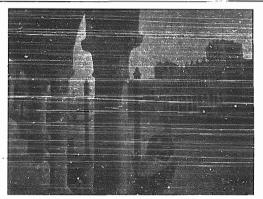
"Since when?" the office acted."

"Since when ?" the officer asked.

"Oh-slace." she falled to remember; "but he is, and these meetings are endangering his intellect."
"He does not look it at present, mother," the officer proceeded; and so further impressed was she with the

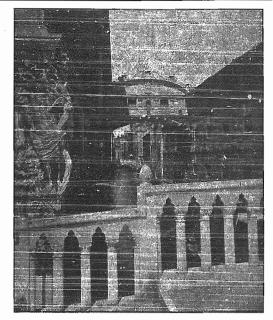
Patience and Humanity

of the officer, that the little plan the good wife planned against her busband remained stillboru. And so it has been, and will be, with many plans to impede the progress of sal-vation in Italy. Brigadier and Mrs. Clibborn and their officers have not a shadow of doubt as to the triumph of



The City of the Sea.

Here the avenues are paved with the liquid emeralds of the Adriatic, and the noise of horses' hoofs and wheels grating on the pavement, ich is so annoying in other cities, is absent.



The Bridge of Sighs, Venice.

e Ducal Palace is seen on the left, and the prison on the right. The bridge received its name from the fact that in the dark ages prisoners were being led across this bridge to torture and execution. It is now one of our open-air stands.

the principles under which they are

sighting.

We have just received intelligence that, in reply to a letter from Brigadier Gilbotz, of Tarin, intly, the Due df Aosts, who comes next to the Prince of Naples in succession to the throne of Italy, has sent the Brigadier a donation of fifty france towards the expense of giving the poor of Turin a Christians dinner. The Brigadier blinks this is the first time that a Catholle Prince has sent a donation to the Salvation Army, and the Brigadier takes it as an indication of the good will of the Duke towards our work in

Turiu, and his graceful act has created a feeling in our favor.



Every Alley is Picturesque, Every building is an individual by itself, different from the rest. Stereotyped rows of houses are unknown.

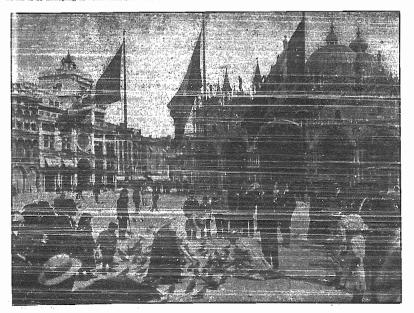
NEWSY NOTES.

The General had planned to publish a special New Year's Manifesto, but a special New Year's Manifesto, but on account of exceptionally great pressure of work has been unble to do the literary work which has had planned to do. An important article from his foreible pen will, however, appear soon in our columns.

Major Southall has been considerably encouraged in his solicitation of donations for the Winniper Building Scheme by a donation of \$500 frem a citizen. May others who are able, do likewise.

Skagway reports that fifty-one In-dians have been out for salvation, and that a considerable number of these will become Salvation soldiers.

--\$][\$-Adjt. Dowell, of St. Johns, Nid., states that he raised \$320 for his tar-get for St. Johns I. Well done!



Feeding the Pigeons in St. Mark's Square, Venice.

The bones of St. Mark, the Evangelist, are supposed to lie in the Cathedral seen in this view.

The devil doesn't care if the world does believe in a Christian, so long as he disbelieves God.



TERSE TOPICS.

The Double Soldlership.

The situation in South Africa has a nainful interest for us all. We cannot forget that so many of our loyal-hearted soldiers of the Blood-and-Fire Flag. who are at the same time soldiers of the Queen, are at this moment at the front holding their lives in their hands. The sympathy intensifies as the news reaches us of those of our own comrades who have fallen in the fight. Amongst the number of Army Lenguers, who belong to the renowned Black Watch regiment, there have fallen some of the truest hearts which ever pledged allegiance to Christ as well as to country. A representative letter from one whose name in the list of killed appeared before its reecipt, speaks of a soul which is strong in the comfort and confidence of the Cross on the eve of active conflict.

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The Army to the Front.

The special contingent of the Naval and Military Leugue despatched from England is now on "active service." immediately upon landing they identified themselves with work amongst the sick and wounded. A letter from Pletermaritzburg spoke of the labors of love which they were accomplishing in the hospitals of war, not the least being the despatching of news from the wounded to the anxious ones at home. Long cre this, however, we picture some of the party in possession of the permit which enables them to follow troops to the front, there to render any service to anyone in the name of God's love and the universal brotherhood of man. Amidst the suffering and sorrow of war's stern realitles. God grant our soldiers grace to be centres of consolation, cheer, and entration.

The Children's Basket.

A DOG'S LETTER.

Juck is the property of Mr. Slade, of Bristol, Pag., and is a splendid collector for the G. B. M. boxes. He seems to possess an aimost human intelligence, as if he knew what blessings and benefits were going to arise from the coins he so cordinity barks his "Thank you" for The latest from him is this letter to the General:

Jack's Letter.

'My Dear Ceneral,-Jack, the friend

"My Dear General,—Jack the friend of Lazarus, sends five shillings (\$1.20) for the Indian Famine Fund, and hopes soon to be able to send something for the League of Mercy Expedition to South Africa.
"You recollect me at the Exhibition when I collected over £15 (\$72.05), and when I saw you off from the station at Eristol a short time ago. You promised to let me know if I am to buttied at the Farm Colony. I have not yet heard from you.
"You know my kind master has helped the work of the Salvatan Army for many years, and if his health permitted he would do more. Hope

you have had a real soul-saving time in Switzerland, and that you returned in safety. Yours faithfully, Dog Jack."

Jack's Answer.

"My Dear Jack, Mrs. Booth desires me to nnswer your letter addressed to the General, and to thank you very the General, and to thank you very warmly by shaking your paw and patting your sleek black head for the five shillings you so kindiy sent for poor India's sufferers. We are sorry to hear your kind master's health is not good; you must take eare of him this cold weather, and not let him get out in the cold or damp. Perhaps if you are a little obstinate and refuse to go out on such days you will make him stay at home too. We should not adgo out on such days you will make him stry at home too. We should not ad-vise many dogs to take matters thus in their own hands; hut we know you will never abuse any trust places in you. The only difficulty that we can foresee about your burlar at the Farm Colony is the question of conveying you there should you die some distance away; but perhans your matter has you there should you die some distance mway; but perhaps your master has already planned this for you. After all that you have done for the Salvation Army it will be nice to feel you ner resting in our own land. With Christian regards to your master and another shake paw with your own dear self.

dear self,
I am your affectionate friend, "(Signed) K. Gritton, Private Secretary."

A SOLDIER OF CHRIST AND THE QUEEN.

What He Did for Santa Lucia.

The uprising of the first batvest led the sowing of more seed. That was not a very busy station, as a rule, and the days being tropically bot, the shade of the large trees were the soldiers favortic camping grounds in the leafy cover his comrades, longing anomalies of the sounds of the leafy cover his comrades, longing anomalies in fatigue dress, watched this man setting forth under the brolling same—his heavy helmet on his bend, and a bundle of War Crys under bis arm. The uprising of the first butyest led

best, and a Summe of the Mys disciplinary in the solitary is a very absorbing and seemingly happy in truncation."

How those years pecame his chosen weapon was tract would be a story in the more he felt the exact suthability of its methods to bis own character and the spiritual useds of Santa Lucia. But there was no Naval and Military League in those days to his this solitary lad on to Headquarters as the spiritual conditions and the spiritual results of the spiritual seeds of Santa Lucia. But there was no Naval and highly solitary lad on to Headquarters So the young artilleryman sent for a So the young artilleryman sent for a spiritual conditions. So the young artilleryman sent for an "F. O." book and concerting, and, armed with these implements of warstarted to make a Salvation Army is own account!

fare, started to make a Salvation Army on the own account?

With Mrs. Grant as guide and coworker, the sergeant set off in his leisure hours for the sngar plantations, where he held some sudige but rousing open-airs amongst the natives there. He started with Sankey's Hymn Book, but, getting more aggressive in his engagement; discarded it after a time for the red Salvation Song Book.

Then, with his own sergeant's payfor the converts were very, very poor—a little hall was hired, and this was christened the "Barracks," while the weekly two dozen War Crys progression of the companies of the salvation of the salvat

that of his enthusiasm in the work of

that of his enthusiasm in the work of saving souls.

"And yet," he says, "perhaps, after all, I was a Salvationist, for in that delightful 'Field Officer' book I found the Articles of War, and as they made up a vow after my own heart I signed my name at the fluish."

Those were original meetings in the fluid "heart coincide were bashful, and their testimonies were bashful, and their testimonies.

very hashful, and their testimonies were never long-winded, therefore the young sergennt—or "Captain" as the little band of loving bluck folk liked to call him—had to do a great deal binnself. It was an understood thing that he read twice in every meeting. They were very ignorant, and if took time and trouble to instill into their minds the first principles of salvation, but many did grasp them and became changed characters. At last the time

but many did grasp them and became changed characters. At last the time came when their "Captain" was take-away. His time of active service in Her Majesty's forces was over, and he was recalled to the Old Country. There was an affectionate and tear-ful farewell from a facetionate and tear-ter of the country of the country of the thirty and promising fidelity, to Cod-the Army, and the work which the soldler's example had taught her to love.

So the young artifieryman departed, leaving what seemed a hright oppor-tunity for pastures new at duty's call. Was it to be a fatal interruption? he wondered.

Two years inter, a certain Lance-Corporal in Her Mujesty's forces, and a Sergeant in the S. A. Naval military League, found himself in Santa Lucia in obedience to British Military orders. He ceuld not, of course, wear any budge to speak his allegiance to the King of Kings, so when off duty he always carried his Bible with him, which never failed to elicit attention, and thus opened up opportunity for talk. One day, as he was walking down one of those roads and with the tropical splendour radiant with the tropical splendour peculiar to the West Indies, a native woman caught sight of the beok, and

stopping, exclaimed engerty:
"Are you a Christian?"
Assured that he was, h
question was:

question was:
"But are you Salvation Army?"
Such words in this dark and far-away
little spot, where the Lauce-Corporal
laid no lides any Salvationist had ever

had no idea any Salvationist had ever set foot, were surprising.

"Yes, I am a Salvationist: but what do you know about the Army here?" he asked.

"Why, I'm Salvation Army too," was the black woman's delighted re-sponse; "Tse signed the Articles!" sponse; "I'se signed the Articles!" and pulling the astonished soldier into her hnt, she showed him a little room arranged as for a usering, and with an illuminated copy of the Articles of War-fastened on the wall with three signatures appended.

The Lance-Corporal's conductors

signatures appended.

The Lance-Corporal's conductress
pointed delightedly to this trophy.

"Bless de Lord, I signed dat long
ago--my 'Captain', sent me dem after
he went -awiy--see, here he is!" and
she produced the photo of a young
man in the uniform of a sergeant in
Her Majesty's army. "What! you'se

man in the uniform of a sergeant in Her Majesty's army. "What! you'sc mebber hear's army." "What! you'sc mebber hear's tell of how he brought de Salvation Army to Santa Lucia ?—why, I was de very first to find the dear Lord after he come. I'll tell you right away bont it."

And Mrs. Grant proceeded to recount the inle which we have already told, only at much greater length, and a companied with 'mosalderable rolling of eyes and elapping of hands, as shreadled the seenes in their little barracks further up the hill. But she spoke also of a sequel which we have not told, of the decided, stand which lad been maintained; of the little Junlor's meeting, which she had ac-pt

up in her home after the "Captain" had gone away; and of how the Salvation Army still lived and flourshed at Santa Lucia.

Lauce-Corporal King, of the Royal Bugineers nearly had his breath taken away by the vivid rectal. He was averloyed at the incites of war which had been maintnined, and finging himself gladly into the channel of such an opportunity, took up the position of slicpherd to this little Salvation thock, and before long the plantation plenating were in full force again, and souls saved were the God-given results.

sulfs.

To-day there is a little band of these "Salvationists" in Santa Lucia, eagerly elmoring from across the sea to Ilcadquarters for officers to be sent them, really to establish the organization which they had first learned to know through the young Royal Artilleryman. And who is he? Why, a Salvation Army officer, when last we heard of blim, hard at work at International Hendquarters. But could you salv live format in Santa Lucia, who ask Mrs. Grant, in Santa Lucia, who he was, she would most likely reply, without hesitation, "Our first 'Cap tain'?"—A. L. P.

What a Soldler Shou**ld Kno**w.

The Object of the Salvation from

To persuade the world to submit to God, surrender sin, and embrace the salvation provided by the sacrifice of Jesus Christ on the Cross, and to enlist all in a holy warfare for all right and against all wrong.

The Origin of the Army.

The work was commenced by the General, then Rev. Wm. Booth, in while an include the same should be senting the claims of God to the lowest that the General decided upon the present methods, as being most of-fective, and re-formed his efforts into a military organization.

The Army's Present Position.

God has owned and multiplied those God has owned and multiplied those early efforts with a measure of success which has astonished the world. The Blood-and-fire Flag now wavesover 41 different countries and colon-les. Our War Crys and magazines are printed in eighteen different tanguages. We have a total of 15,300 officers and employees who are altogether set apart for the work.

Who is the Ceneral?

The Army's first and present General is the Rev. Wm. Booth. (Godbless him!) He is in command of the entire Army.

Who Is Our Commissioner?

who is our commissioner?

The officer who uow has the columnated of the work in this Territory is Commissioner Eva Boeth, whose devoted leadership has endeared her to all her officers and soldiers. The Commissioner directs and controls the war throughout the Territory.

What is Cur Territory?
This Territorial Division of the Army's work consists of Canada, Newfoundland, North-West America, and Bermuda.

How the Army Started Here

Now the Army Startes flore.

The Army work was first introduced by two soldlers of the work in England, who started meetings on Army lines in London, Ont. These young men are now Brigadler' Addle and Staff-Capt. Ludgate, of the States. The Army's first leader in this country was Major (now Commissioner) Coombs.

Christmas Day in Winnipeg

Over 4100 Poor and Unfortunate People Fed - Nearly All Nationalities and Conditions Represented-Mayor Andrews Opened Proceedings,

By MAJOR SOUTHALL

HE recent commemoration of the birth of Hm Who distinctly made Illuseif the Friend of the made Illuseif the Friend of the made Illuseif the Friend of the property of the prop

eral children, and others sick and un-able to come. In one case where there was no food in the house for Sunday, our Visiting Sergeant took

Further, I would like to state that all those who availed themselves of the dinner were not absolutely poor, but for various reasons the season would have been dull and uninterestwould have been dull and uninteresting but for the bightness of the occusion. No, the Great West has vesurees unlimited, and almost incomprehensible, only waiting for the skill and labor of man to develop them into actual worth, and yielding immeasurement of emigration there must be some who are incapable of rising to the demand, and hence fall back-perhaps through unavoidable circumstances late a condition of helplessness and consequent dismay. Who shall say that an effort that will bring a day of

Day (though they did not feel it any self-deniel) to make the most of the effort. A word of praise might also be given for the service of a few unsaved young mea, who were up all night patting up tables, etc.

The pots and stockings were a uccel-ty, creating a good deal of interest, and were well patroidzed.

Winnipeg people know how to be generous, and know a good thing when they see it. Hence the splendful appreciation the Army has in the minds of her best people, and honce, also, the success of the Christmas dinner and the consequent gladdening of hundreds of hearts this Christmas season.

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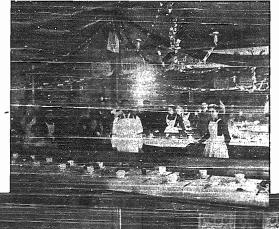
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THE SALVATION ARMY DINNER.

Over Eleven Hundred Poor People Fed

Christmas Day was a red letter day in Salvation Army circles in this city, the occasion being the free Christmas diamer for 1,000 poor, and notwith-standing the predictions that not one bundred poor could be collected, the Army fed no less than 1,173 persons, without taking inte account the officers, soldiers, and others who assisted to feed the crowd during the day. The tables were set for 240 persons and at 12 o'clock all seats were full and a large crowd waiting. Mayor Andrews was present at the openling and addressed the crowd. He was followed by Major Southall and Santa Claus, after which the feast began.

The the Salvation Army is due no small credit for its generoity in providing; a number of diamers to the deserving poor of the city. It seems a pity that there were no fewer than 1,173 persons to avail themselves of



A Croup of Doukhobors

A Group of Boukhobors

Over there is a group of Doukhobors smiling happy. Here's a whole length of a table of about 60 children pitching into the smoothing delicacies with a hearty relieb. It was worth more than the choicest roast turkey and the usal accompaniments in the quiet of one's own home to see that crowd enjoy themselves. Then there was thunfortunate, the bobo, the drunk-though not drunk now—and others. The several shoot with the was a good diner? "Everything went off like clockwork, no waiting, no confusion, no cross word. Duties were assigned to various persons as superintendents, who hind their assistants, and all stuck to their post, and did their duck the children during the week, by giving candy when he met them, gave a hag containing nuts, candy, and an apple or orange to ceryone who eame to the feast. "Big Injun" did a war dance with Santa Claus.

Four Hundred Meals Sent to Homes.

One of the features of the effort was the sending of 400 basket-ineals to people wno could not come to the barracks. Some of these were quar-antined; through infection in the home. Some were widows with sev-

some meat, sic, an seeing which the old lady said, "Thank God, my prayer is answered." Seven meals were sent out on Saturday night.

The proceedings were opened by His Worship, the Mayor, who gave some good counsel and advice to the guests. Whatever the past, the future was their's to make of it what they would; and in this connection it would not be out of place to state that this has been characteristic of Mayor Andrews' administration. The civic authorities are most attentive to any poor brought to their notice.

sunlight and gladness to such is not only commendable, but a duty, devolv-ing upon those better favored?

I should scarcely be doing justice to my brave Chancellor—Adji. Cass—did I not mention the herole service he rendered. Then there is Adji. Kerr. Ensign Ottaway, and all the officers in the city. Then a number of our brave soldiers and several friends who gave bell time freely, and desied them solves of rest and their Christmas solves of rest and their Christmas

the Army's hospitality, but it is also comforting to reflect that all applying were supplied with Christmas delicacles until the inner man was more than satisfied.

Opportunity,

Master of human destinies am 1; Fame, love and fortune on my foot-steps wait, Cities and fields I walk; I penetrate Deserts and seas remote, and passing

Deserts and sens remote, and passing by
Hovel, and mart, and palace, soon or late
I knock unbliden once at every gate.
I sleeping, wake; if fensing, rise
Before I turn away. It is the hour of

fate
And they who follow me reach every state

Mortals desire, and conquor every foe
Save death; but those who doubt or
hesitate
Condemned to failure, penury and woe
Seek me in vain and uselessly huplore,
I answer not, and I return no more,
—John J. Ingalls,

Surely love conquers all, is immeasurably above all ambifion, more precious than wealth, more noble than name. He knows not life who knows not that he huit not felt the highest faculty of the soul, who hath not enjoyed it.

GAZETTE.

Promotion-

Cadet Peacock, of the Lippincott Garrison, to be Probationary-Lieu-tenant at Dundas.

Appointments-

MRS. MAJOR COOPER to take charge of Goderich.

ADJT. ORCHARD, of Palmerston Corps and District, to Stratford Corps and District.

ADJT. BLACKBURN, of Windsor Corps and District, to Petrolia Corps and District Corps and District.

Corps, to Brantford Corps and District. ADJT.

ADJT. McHARG, of E Corps and District, to Corps and District. ADJT. of Brantford Simcoe

ADJT. BRADLEY, of Port Arthur, to Neepawa.

ENSIGN WAKEFIELD, of Simco-Corps and District, to take charge of London Corps.

ENSIGN M. GREEN, of Stratford Corps and District, to take charge of Windsor Corps.

ENSIGN BRANIGAN, of Wingham.

ENSIGN SCOTT, of Wallaceburg, ENSIGN COLLIER, of Listowell, to

Wingham.

WNIGHTHM.

ENSIGN TAYLOR, of Regina Corps and District, to Fort William.

ENSIGN A. HAYES, of Devil's Lake Corps and District, to Port Arthur.

ENSIGN HYDE, of Social Farm,

to Devercourt Corps.

Cadet A. Duder, of St. Johns Men's Training Garrison, to be Probation ary-Lientenant, at Burin. Cadet A. Knight, of St. Johns Men's

Training Garrison, to be Probation-ary-Lieutenant at Bonne Bay. EVANGELINE C. BOOTH, Field Commissioner.



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The Massey Meeting.

The topic at Territorial Headquarters is the coming Massey Hall Demoustration. Every preparation is helng made to make it the climax of nnything yet attempted. Miss Booth is anxious that it should be such, and both the Chief and the General Secretary are busy with the arrangement of the details.

Of course, the influence of such a meeting is not only felt in the city of Toronto, but spreads throughout the whole Territory, inspiring our brave and devoted tollers in the ice-bound Yukon District, and quickening the pulse of the workers in Newfoundland.

For details of the meeting we refer to the General Secretary's notes on page four, and to the advertisement on page sixteen.

Let every comrade pray that the Commissioner's physical strength may be fully equal to the occasion, and that the object-lessons of the meeting, backed by the intensely-felt words of the Commissioner, may in an excep-

MISS BOOTH'S NEW YEAR'S DINNER

With Her T. H. Q. and Toronto City Officers

--AT-

LIPPINCOTT ST. BARRACKS.

The New Year's dinner has now become a regular institution in Toronte, and is looked forward with much anticipation of cheerful social intercourse and spiritual blessing.
About a hundred Staff and Field
Officers assembled at 5 o'clock, Wed-

desday, Jan. 3rd, in response to the General Secretary's letter.

The tables were well provided with General Secretary's letter.

The tables were well provided with the ingredients that constitute an orthodox Christmas dinner, and ample justice was done to the spread of good things. It was a wise man who are stated that cheerful conversation, with an occasional laugh, sided digestion's progress; and this advice was followed in this instance; ludeed, it was well, otherwise we fear nightmares would have claimed numerous victimes, and disturbed their rest during the succeeding night.

After the repast, some them was allowed for the clearing away of the tables and the transing of setts, becausinging song, some hot prayers and chorneses soon brought every mind the harmony with the spirit of the occasion. A number of speakers were called upon for their after-dinner speeches.

After Dinner Speeches.

Major Smeeton started the ball rolling with a neat address, sicely worded and expressive of peace and prosperity, as well as good-will.

He was followed by an old veterna, Capt. Peacock, who gave a soundly-ringing, personal testimony.

Staff-Capt. Archibald reported progress personally in his come and be-

Staff-Capt, Archibald reported progress personally in his corps, and believes that the city is at the fect of the Salvation Army; while Adjutant

Searr made a trim, well-worded stump-speech that took everybody by surprise, and was finished before we knew it. "The angels may euvy my place as a soul-winner, but I've got it," were her finishing words.

A proper agricultural address by the farm-governor, Adjt. Miles, was much applauded.

applauded.

Then followed Mrs. Read, in her well-known able manner, and Major Turner, full of hope and push.

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"Tis rolling in, 'tis rolling in, The sea of love is rolling in."

The sea of love is rolling in."
The next speaker was Brigadier Friedrick, who declared his determination to seek the hetter advancement of the canse dear to us all.
Stan-Captain Manton interestingly dwelt on his early recollection of the Salvation Army 17 years ago.
Brigadier Pugmire earnestly spoke of the great desire to save souls, which he meant to do more diligently daring this year than ever.
Lieut-Colonel Margetts spoke of his godly mother and her influence over

Lieut.-Colonel Margeres spoke of me godly mother and her influence over his life, and aptly referred to the beautiful dying words of D. L. Moody. Colonel Jacobs was himself. He chose his filmstration well and spoke

to the point.

The Commissioner's rising was the signal for a deafening and prolonged

The Commissioner's Talk

The Commissioner's Talk
was fervent and timely. Her would
quickened all the impulses that make
for righteousness, strengthened every
laboration and sharpened outlined to the
propertion of the process of the recent in
disposition, yet we also perceived the
interposition, yet we also perceived the
intensity of her spirit surmounting
all obstacles, and reaching out in the
endeavor to inspire those under her
charge to greater daring and more
civiliant of the the process of the
content of the process of the process
ing this world to Christ. We sincerely hope that she may write the
article of which she spoke as having
a desire to pen for the War Cry.
"Wanted, Better Eyestght!"
May we all be quickeded to perceive
opportunities to bless, to help, to find,
and to save!—An Officer.



THE SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

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The Toronto Company of the Canadian Contingent, with 200 Queenslanders, have scored a victory by capturing a camp of Cape Dutch rebels acar Sunnyside. The lasger, with tents, rifles, and recovery the continuous continu

INTERNATIONAL NEWS.

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The French Government (Senate)
has condemned the conspirators against the Republic, Mm. Buffet, Salucca, and Deroulede to ten years
banishment; M. Guerin, the antiSemite who so long barricaded his
house against the police, was sentencethe ten years configurant in a forth-Semite who so long harricaded his house against the police, was sentenced to ten years' confluement in a fortified place—The French are reported to have been defeated by the Chinese soldiers near Kawchawan, China, in a recent engagement. The French lest 90 men. The trouble arose over the murder of two French neval officers by 'Chinese.—The Austro-Hungarian Government has resolved to spend 100 million dollars on the immediate in crease of her army and navy, as a result of the critical European situation.—The Cerman European situation.—The Cerman European situation.—The Seman European situation in the control of the critical European situation and the control of the critical European situation.—The Seman European situation is provided to the control of the critical European situation.—The Seman European situation is provided by the control of the critical European situation.—The Seman European situation is provided by the control of the critical situation of the criti mark is anxious to sell her West In-dian possessions, which have been of-fered to the U. S. A. for 7½ million dollars.—The New York State Com-mission recommends that 60 million dollars be expended in improving the inland waterways.

tional manner advance the cause so dear to her heart.

We are pleased to be able to say that there is every indication that Miss Booth will be in satisfactory health for the occasion.

Golonel Jacobs and String Band at the Gentral Prison

THIRTEEN SEEKERS FOR SALVATION.

The Chief Secretary, the writer, and the String Band conducted Sunday afternoon's service at the Central Prison. Three hundred men gatheres together in the church attached. The Cotonel was at his best, and for about half an hour held that crowd of men spell-bound, as he unfolded the ways and means of salvation. It was one of the best meetings the writer has ever attended. At the close of the address 13 stood to their feet promising to give themselves to God.

The prisoners were delighted with the String Band, and we felt a melowing induence while they played. "Safe in the error of Jesuia." The prison can boast of a good choir, composed of about a dozen prisoners, and these are assisted by Mr. Speucer, of the Prisoners' Aid Seclety. Climore, the Chief Warden, and the Climore, the present and en-

Society.

Dr. Gilmore, the Chief Warden, and Mrs. Gilmore were present and enjoyed the service; also the Deputy.

After the service the writer took the Cotonel round the galleries, and it was yery easy to be seen how they enjoyed his visit.

Dr. Gilmore is arranging for the Commissioner to conduct a special ser-vice at the Central in the near future. —Brigadier Pugmire, Men's Social Sec

HEADQUARTERS' HAPPENINGS.

By ONE IN IT.

The Men-Cadets who are in Training now at the Temple will, it is aunounced, be commissioned about the 1st of February.

The arrangements for the Field Commissioner's big meetings in Mas-sey Hall, in February, are receiving the attention of several of Headquarters'

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About twenty men Cadets with he coming into Training for the next

Adjt. Adams now fills the position of J. S. S.-M. at Dovercourt.

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Easign Hyde, late of the Farm Colony, has just been appointed to the command of the Dovercourt corps.

Special prayer is made each day at our noon knec-drill for our comrades who are at the battle's front in the present South African war.

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Adjt. Attwell, of the Editorial Staff, has a brother with the Coldstream Guards now on active service in South

Major McMillan appears to be improving. Comrades, pray for him. Alex., one of the Major's sons, is now employed in the General Secretary's office at T. H. Q.

MISCELLANEOUS,

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Rev. Prooks, of the Church MisRev. Prooks, of the Church MisRev. Prooks, of the Church MisRev. Prooks, of the Pring-Tin,
was murdered by Chinese rebels on
Dec. 3rd.—The British steamer, Bourglasse, of Glasgow, foundered off Cape
Finistere, in a hurricane; 22 lives
were lost, only nine survived.—
Miss Rachel Ferguson, of Toronto, 28
years of age, was murdered belind the joil gates, by an unknown
man, apparently for robbery.—The
Bubonic Pingue is apprending in Honolulu, and infected buildings are burnlulu, and infected buildings are burncl. The Astatic quarters of the city
are quarantined.—Mabel Field, of Mt.
Vernon, N. Y., 18 years, saved a passenger train from plunging over a
burning bridge, by raising the dangersignal just in time.



THE BRITISH ISLES.

The General spent his watch-night in Leads. He also visited Reading, and conducted some excellent meetings in the Town Hall.

Viscount Hampden, will preside at the Annual Thauksgiving meeting of the Women's Social Work. Previous to the meeting his bordship inspected several branches of the Social Scheme.

The Postal Department on I. H. Q. work at high pressure at Christmas-tide; this year the rush has been above the average. Adjt. Gritton, the faithful Secretary for International affairs to Mrs. Booth, said that her Department alone received and answered 160 letiers, on an average, per day during the Christmas season.

Brigadier Jolliffe's Departmental Section dealt with eighty thousand pieces of literature in four unys preceding Christmus week. w.

Some of the Christmas gifts sent to Mrs. Booth for distribution among the slums are often amosing. The latest was a trific entertaining; it consisted of a completely-furnished "Puuch and Judy" property.

The Chief's meetings with the London bandsmen at Clapton appear to have greatly delighted those who were present. Major Slater has received some half-dozen letters from bandmasters and bandsmen, all expressing the utmost appreciation of the Chief's fatherly counsel and wise insight into the bandsmen's special temptations and needs.

SOUTH AFRICA.

The latest South African Cry says : Dominion right up to the time of their departure. They speak in the very highest terms of the Field Commissioner, and agree that she is doing a wonderful work in Canada. Some of the Australian troops, also, know the Army well, and regard the Commission and as a great leader.

Many of our officers formerly-of the Old Courtry, and now on duty in South Arfach, are receiving most anxious enquiries from their relatives and friends across the water. Some of them have but a poor conception of the size of Africa, and of the hundreds of miles which, in so many cruses, separate our officers from the actual scene of bostilities.

In the event of the relief of Kimberley being effected, we expect in the near future to receive thrilling stories from some of our devoted officers who have been shut up in langer for the past five or six weeks. Their experiences will be read with exceeding in-

From Pietermaritzburg, Capt. Mar-meduke H. Ashman writes: "Adjt. Murray is visiting the seidlers who are in bospital, while I do the enumes. There are a number of people here who have relatives who are fighting on both sides. All being well, we hope to get through to Mool River next Monday. On our journey here by boat we bad a nice meeting on board ou the Sunday night, Adjt. Murray leading.

Brigadier Rauch, Sergt. Wade, of the Army Pay Corps, and I, also said a few words. We have a large number of soldlers here down with dysentery. Will write again as soon as I have any nowe." any news.

INDIA.

Commissioner Higgins spent a very busy ten days after returning from South India. He then went on a tour in the Punjab and N.-W. P.

-6-The Commissioner keeps fairly well only, and has feit the fatigue of his journeys more than usual. His Private Secretary says that one English mail just sent off has beaten the record as to size, number of letters, and perhaps also in the variety and importance of matters dealt with.

-0 The sad effects of the distress are steadily growing more acute. The resources of the people are becoming smaller, so that larger numbers are forced to the relief works, and aspecially among the children and old und halfan, suffering is increasing.

-9-The Madras Government has been pleased to grant a license to Major Sukh Singh, empowering him to so-lemnize marriages in all Territory under the administration of the Madras Government.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Staff-Capt. Bojsen, in charge of Ice-land, speaks highly of the kind treat-ment accorded our officers by the merchants and officials of the country. One firm recently donated 260 pounds Oue irm recently donated 209 pounds of dry cod; another friend gives the rent of the burracks and officers' quarters of the local corps; a third has presented the Shelter at Rejkavik with an aere of garden ground, which is a valuable asset. The Shelter is a much appreciated institution.

The war in Paris makes encouraging The war in Paris makes encouraging headway. A sphendid soul-saving work is taking hold at each corps. The eighth bas just been successfully opened, and a hall has also been seried for the inith. The work at Rue Auber is especially inspiring. The hall is crowded continually with people of every class and of every nationality.

Major Jang Bahadur, a sketch of whose ploneer work ameng the Bheels appeared in a recent issue of All the World, embarked recently on his return to India. The Major has spent a lengthy furlough in Sweden, his native country, and returns with greatly improved health and increased ardour to the Indian war.

UNDER THE STARS AND STRIPES

The Commissioner and Consul visited the Cherry Tree Children's Home on the occasion of the Christmas Tree, and presided over the program for the

Colonel Higgins led the Sunday and watch-night services in the Me-morial Hall, New York, and 74 souls were recorded at the penitent form.

Sister Mrs. Smith, of Lewiston, is a War Cry boomer of seven years' standing, and is now over 80 years of

Brigadiers Chandler and Cox are ill.

Staff-Capt. T. H. Adams fed 2,300 poor on Christmas Day in Pittsburg, and Major Cousins fed 600 in Troy. Staff-Capt. Adams said he noticed one nan eat five plates of turkey and potatoes, with bread to match, so to speak!

In Philadelphia during the collection for the Christmas dinner, a Cadet was charged with looking after two collecting boxes that were fastened to the lamp posts on the opposite sides of the street from each other. The Cadet becoming hungry, and uo regular rellef appearing, he heiled a pollecmen, and said, with an air of authority, "Here, offieer, I want to go to dinner. Please mind my boxes, will your?" Aud he did. He remained on guard until the Cadet returned.

The O. K. and Southern Division has in its records for Christmas War Cry sales the following: New Orleans I, 1,500; Mansfield, O., 1,223; Cleveland IV., 1,100; Clincinnati I., 1,000; Tolcdo 1,000, and Youngstown, 1,000. These are fine figures.

Brigadler Addie, in the latest "Kano-Tex," gives us the following cheery
report:
Looking back upon the two months
and a half we have been privileged to
but raise our bearts and voices in
praise to God Who has belped us so
wonderfully. It seems almost too
early to give out a statement of advances, and yet the progress made
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juiculous advances are as follows:
(1) Twelve new corps have been
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(2) The War Cry raised 1,500 copies weekly over the number previously

taken.

(3) Nearly \$700.00 Divisional debt has gradually been wiped out.

(4) The Village War has been successfully launched.

(5) The Citridel Hotel enlarged by 16 rooms.

16 rooms.

(6) A Divisional Band of 10 pieces

has been organized.

(7) A Singing Brigade has been got

(8) Nearly 20 Candidates have been

(8) Nearly 20 Candidates have been secured.
(9) The Corps linhilities have been reduced over \$500.00.
(10) A Relief Department has been instituted.
Besides the foregoing we might menution that quite a few notable conversions have taken place, and this, together with the unparalleled success of the Christman dinner and our relief work, has brought the Army more than ever before the notice of the public, and this, of course, is of substantial hencit all round.

Lieut.-Colonel Holz, of Cleveland, bas this to say about a splendid Christmas celebration in Cleveland :

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"Prayer cau obtain anything; can put a holy constraint upon God, and detain an auget till be leaves a blees-ing; can epen the treasues of rain, and often the lron ribe of rock till they melt into a flowing river; can arrest the sun in its course, and send the winds upon arrands."

Coming Events.

MISS BOOTH

AND HER

X X LIVING SCENES

Massey Hall, Thursday February 1.

LIEUT.-COLONEL, and MRS, MARGETTS

will conduct a

Special Soul-Saving Campaign

Lippincott St. Barracks every night from

Friday, January 19th, to

Suuday, January 28th.

BRIGADIER and Mrs. GASKIN

Will Conduct Special Meetings at

HAMILTON I., Sat. Sun. and Mon., Jan. 20, 21, 22.

THE TEMPLE, Priday, Jan. 19 and

MAJOR PICKERING

will visit

Springhill, Tuesday, Jan. 23.

Hnlifax I., Wednesday, Jan. 24. Windsor, Thurs. and Fri., Jan. 25, 26. Bridgetown, Sat and Sun., Jan. 27, 28. Campbellton, Sat. and Sun., Feb. 3, 4. Chatham, Monday, Feb. 5. Newcastle, Tuesday, Feb. 6. New Glasgow, Thursday, Feb. 8. Glace Bay, Sat. and Sun., Feb. 10, 11 Sydney, Monday, Feb. 12. North Sydney, Tuesday, Feb. 13.

MRS, MAJOR PICKERING, assisted by

Mrs. Staff-Capt. Rawling and Capt. Stobbs,

will visit

Carleton, Suuday, Jan. 28. St. John III., Sunday, Feb. 4.

East Ontario Province, Attention!

BRIGADIER PUGMIRE.

THE NEW PROVINCIAL OFFICER.

Will Conduct Welcome Meetings ns follows:

Peterboro, Tuesday, Jan. 23. Montreal I., Thursday, Jan. 25. Montreal If., Friday, Jan. 26. Cornwall, Saturday, Jan. 27. Kingston, Sunday, Jan. 28.

Whereabouts of Financial Specials,

ADJT. WISEMAN.

Toronto, Thursday, Jan. 18, to Wed-nesday, Jan 24.

ENSIGN BURROWS.

Feversham, Thursday, Jan. 18. Markdale, Friday, Jan. 19. Owen Sound, Sat. and Sun., Jan. 20. 21.

Winton, Monday, Jan. 22. Chesley, Tuesday, Jan. 23. Menford, Wednesday, Jan. 24.

ENSIGN PERRY.

Fargo, Thursduy, Jan. 18. Grand Forks, Friday, Jan. 19. Grafton, Sat., Sun. and Mon., Jan. 20. 21, 22. Emerson, Tues. aud Wcd., Jan. 23, 24.

ENSIGN STAIGERS.

Cranbrook, B. C., Thurs. and Fri., Jan. 18, 10. Fernie, Sat., Sun. and Mon., Jan. 20 21, 22.

Fort Steel, Tuesday, Jan. 28rd.

WOMAN'S WORK.

Lessons from the Life of Catherine Booth.

By REV. W. R. ROACH.

LESSON VIII.

NOW TO MARRY WISELY.

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Then, there is this lesson also that we learn from the study of the life of this noble woman of God, and it is a lesson of vital Importance to both young men and women, because there is so much involved in it, not only in relation to this life, but also in relation to the life which is to come. It is the vital question of marriage. The family, the community, the church, the state, and the world, all are dependent upon the institution of marriage; and his institution was ordained by God in the time of mar's innocency in Paradise. God only ordained three institutions—the family, the church, and his state. To these three institutions the subject of our lecture belonged, and more ber heart, and soul, and time, and talents, to build tiem up. She was devoted to the family, to the church, and to the state. I know that I om treading on very delicate ground in venturing to speak on this subject, so vital to the mile, and more so to the female, side of the house. Woman was created for more and more so to the female, side of the house. Woman was created for moran. In created for William Booth was created for Catherine Mumford and the Booth Shufford and the Booth Shufford and the Booth Shufford and woman over forty-two years ago. I must be very careful as to what I say on this question of more than ordinary importance.

"Making Matches."

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It is the ensheat thing in the world to settle somebody clac's marrimonals arminements, but when it comes to settle somebody clac's marrimonals arminements, but when it comes to settle somebody and the settle somebody clac's marrimonals and those who are most ready to give advice upon it make the most egregious binuders in their cwm matrimonial affairs. John Wesley made a rule that none of the preachers should marry without laying the character, and tastes, and plety of the woman of his choice, before the brethren. It was very good advice, and it ended in him marrying a miserable vixen of a woman, who was unworthy of the hand and heart of any man in marriage. More blunders arm and couths line of life than on any other, and there is only one class of people their marriages, and tuffs women in the mea whom the the women in the mea whom the two women in the mea whom the two women in the mea whom the two women in the mea whom the young men and women the sind for a moment. Let me begin with the young man. What kind of a wife do you want? Well, she must be a woman of good common sense, sound in judgment, wise in counsel. She must be a first-class house-keeper, and make home as much like heaven as possible. She must have a fair education. I do not say she must have graduated from some university, and be able to talk different languages—an average woman can son the read of the some languages as a much in one language as a non cres to hear. But her education should be called of fill some languages and some the province of the province and achieve. If then husband becomes a professional man—suy a barricter, or a physician, or a fattersma, or a clergyman—she should be able to fill serious a wife. I thank it would be wise for you to choose your occupation first.

First a Place, Then a Wife.

You cannot tell what will be the principal qualities needed in a wife until you have determined what shall be the particular sphere of life in which you intend to move. When you have settled your occupation or profession, then choose one who will have with you similar tastes, and will be able to move in the society in which you move with gracefuluess and dignity. Then, she should be a good cook and able to do all kinds of household work, and it the servant-struck for higher wages, the wife ought to be able to say to

the girl, "Here is your money, and there is the door-go. I am equal to your work and mine, too." If she knew she had to go she wouldn't want to. Then, she must be economical. There is only one thing that exceeds a man's ability to earn money, and that is woman's ability to spend it. Some women will keep their husbands poor women will keep their husbands poor women will keep their how much they may earn. Economy is a lesson that every wife should learn and practice. They should keep a strict account of all their receipts and disbursements. Some women, and men, too, do not show the strict economy menns. Then another excellence in a good wife is, abe must love her home if it is Then another excellence in a good wife is, she must love her home if it is only an inferior little cottage, and spend most of her time in her own house and in the house of God. I would not have her always in the kitchen doing the rount work, but she must love her home, and husband, and children, and God. A woman must be willing for the sake of her children, to do, under the influence of reason und religiou, what the bird does from the unintelligent impfliess of nature. Her children are a charge for which she must forego some of the advantageeand disadvantages, as well as the enjoyments, of social life and even some
of the social pleasures of religion.
She who would have a maternal powerover her children must give her company to them. It is not for her toever craving after parties, or to telit a hardship to be dealed theme lies
in a life of the beneficial theme lies
in a life of the prendicent Thus Paul's
connect is every good, wherein he says,
"one is every good, wherein he says,
"one is every good, wherein he says,
"one he be to good, wherein he says,
"one he women the point of the connouse, so as never to go abroad or
enter into company. She who is devoted to her family needs occasional
relaxation amidst the pleasures of soclety, and especialty the exhilirating
engagements of public worship. There
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scarcely ever stir from the gradient of the coneven to the house of Goother than the
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benefit of their children, give up a
social party, or a public meeting. The
woman who is not prepared to make
any sacrifices of this kind should never
think of entering the marriage life. A
married woman, or any other woman, has not any time to waste in
going to balls, and dending parties,
and theatres; sometimes firthing with
the duties of wife and mether. A good
wife will look well after her own husband.

(To be continued.)

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By BRIGADIER COMPLIN.

CHAPTER V.

"Sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death"

The home of the Conways was situated in a very respectable suburb of Binsford.

nated in a very respectators similar of Binsford.
With a piteous look upon ber face the widowed mother sat watching lattone night for the return of her son. She seat up a prayer for help, and felt comforted.
She was resolved that she would appeal to Ralph that night, and do her utmost to bring about a change of living. Her sorrow was cating her very life away. She felt she could not longer endure this great burden, and when she passed away the last link that bound her boy to bope and goodness would be santpped—then what would become of him? Hour after hour the little time-piece on the mantie marked in their light. Midnight sounded—still she kept he lags!

Still no step was heard.
Midnight sounded—still sle kept her
rigil.
The hired helper had long since gone
home. Mrs. Conway kept no one in
the bouse at night, lest they should
spread the story of her son's disgrace.
Foor soul, she did not know how swiftly such reports had travelled.
A great fear and loneliness fell upon
her. She could not shake it off.
The boys of Raiph's set were having
a "hot time" down in the city thui
night. What scenes were witnessed
in the strictly private room of a certain rendexovous shall not be anmed,
but at an early hour in the morning
the party broke, up.
It had been an and excess. So much
so and length's nerves—it must have
descent ouch depths of deep savagery as Conway did, apart from such a
condition. We must believe it was so
—whether it was so or not, the fact of
what took place is dreadfully true,
and that is the saddest part of this
sac chapter in two bunnan lives.
Raiph's nerves, already wrecked, gave
way under the ventous of the various
drikts—they sting like a serpent and
ittellike an adder—and the laugh

with which he left the gilded glitter of the "blase" circle of his associates changed as he made his rapid, though unsteady, way toward the home where his mother, wee-begone and wasted, still watched for his return. He fumbled and stumbled at the door, but could not fit the key into its

Mrs. Conway went forward and pumrs. Colledy well forward and mi-latched the door, then stood back, just under the gas-light, to let him enter. He met her gaze of grief and horror with a wild jeer. Then he made as-though he would dart past her up the

uirs. She knew not her danger, dear over She snatched at him and held She knew not her danger, dear heart. She santched at him and held his arn with both hers. "Is this my Ralph ?" she screamed. "Ralph. Ralph !" she called is plending tones, as though he were not there. A fiendish, hellow "Hn, lu, lu,, 'w was his resumes."

his response.

his response.

He sought to escape her, but she would not let him go.

His face glowered with the glare of a fearful madness as though illumined with lurid shafts of red light from the abyss. Then, as she held him, he drew a kuife, and raised it up. He sought to dash the blade into her heart, but an unseen Hand held it bank

She knew no fear of him, and again he repreached him.

she repreached him.

The very softness of her lones added madness to madness. As I heard the story II was said he robed the blade again, and again was mysteriously held back from the deed; it third time with an execution his hand flew up and as swiftly down, the blade sunk into the mother heart—she fell murdered at his feet!

(Note to reader—Wes it the heart of the swift has the swift has the swift has the swift has the swiftly down the blade sunk into the mother heart—she fell murdered at his feet!

(Note to reader.—Was it the boy or was it the drink ?—J. C.)

Of the bue and cry that was made, the rash of people, the heavy tramp, tramp, tramp of the police, the enquiry, the trial, we need not speak, only to remind you, render, that the quiry, the triat, we need not speak.

only to tendind you, render, that the
drink traffic wanted a boy, and it got
him, and you have read what it made
of him when it got him. It wants an-

other. Mother, father, can you spare yours?

The Lamp of His Law.

THE SPIES' MISSION.

Joshua 41. 8-14.

Joshua's position as leader of the Children of Israel was now an accomplished fact. It did not take him long to prove himself in possession of those efficient traits necessary to the guidunce and control of a nation-in short, he speedily manifested that his ap-pointment had been of Divine ordering.

He showed wisdom before he showed courage. This is very essential in a leader. There are some who consider that daring and eaution cannot be united, but in the master mind of a multitude they should always blend. In Joshua they did so.

Subsequent events proved how far from lacking in courage was israel's new leader when actually confronted by the foe, but he valued the safety of his charge too much to risk it unnecessarily. Bravery and bravado are two very different things. Hence having brought, under God's leading, the people to Jordan's boundary line he halted for the purpose of reconnoitering. The errand of the spies would discover the numbers and strength of the foe. How many a battle has been lost or won through the knowledge or ignorance of the enemy's position. The secret of suceess or failure depends mainly on this. It is a bad thing to over-estimate your opponent, but it is even more dangerous to under-estimate him.

The story of the peril, safety, and success, which attended the spies' mis sion is one of those remarkable in-stances of the miraculous preservation and prosperity with which God delights to surround those who run His errands. We can but think that some message of revelution was sent to the heart of this heathen woman, which enabled her to discern the righteous errand and personal danger of the two strangers who ludged at her house. Her falthfulness to God's messengers did not go unrewardedthe safety of herself and her relatives was the outcome when the city lay at the mercy of the Heaven-blessed in-

Yet the woman had something to do in her own salvation. Without the scerlet line, which she had bound at her visitors' direction, in her window all that her beuse contained would have fallen victims with those of their neighbors. Is nli not this scarlet line in Jericho, as was the blood directed to be marked upon the doorposts at the institution of the Passover in Egypt, the symbol of the eternal salvation of God? The Blood of Christ is the one and only sign in which dwells safety in the hour when God's justice shall visit the universe.

Referring to the proposed free reading room, Mr. Wright said, "It appears to me the S. A. is the proper agency to deal with the conditions and class of people in Dawson City, and take up this work. We must give it our support."

God can niways fill an emergency. We may fancy ourselves indispensable to His cause, yet, all the same, when the time comes for us to step out of the work, He will have another man ready. to step into it. Moses' readiness to to step into it. Auoses reaumess to end and Joshua's willingness to begin were both the result of a perfect sub-mission to the will of God. It is through such men He delights to manifest Himself to the world.



us make out." We sighed a despuing sigb, having struggled through those hieroglyphics ourselves, as we strove to make them legible. The writing of the report in question was beyond description. The correspondent, who shall be nameless, will now understand why he looked in vain for the production of his pen last week.

The Cart Before the Horse.

The Cart Sefere the flowers.

That includent decided for us what subject one "Chait" should discuss this week. It may be criticised that to deal with HOW a report should be written before suggesting WHAT should be written before the borse. I gusting the cart should be written is putting the cart should be written is putting the cart, in some cases, it is only with extreme difficulty that we can decipher the matter of the reports at all, we brave the criticism and proceed to one of the greatest essentials in the scribbling world-

Writing that Can be Read.

We are not all born to greatness nor to achieve exquisite triumphs of copper-plate penmanship, but should we not at least attempt to make our-selves understood? In our school-days we not at least attempt to make ourselves understood? In our school-days
it was sufficient if our efforts might
all be classed under "pot hooks and
bangers," but to have our older work
described as "flower pots," or the fantastic imprint of a fly's inky foot, seems
a bit of a disgrace. In writing for the
press extra sinshes and dushes may
well be dispensed with—instead a
putting in time at ornamenting, take
the sea that the reinters' excessivit and a little extra to form each letter plain-ly, so that the printers' eye-sight and temper may not be taxed beyond en-durance. Most of our War Cry is set on the Linotype, and as the speed of this is necessarily grent, the operator has not time to do a lot of puzzling out. But a word to the wise is suith leut!

Black ink and White Paper.

The need for a hint of preference for The need for a limit of preference for these two commodities is greater than some unny think. The writer has been confronted sometimes with a report pile representing almost every color of the rainbow. Don't use artistic hues in inks—the effect is most dazzl-

hues in inite—the effect is most duzzling.

White paper is infinitely preferred to yellow, and, for "copy" purposes, should be neither too large nor too small. There have been known reports which it needed a yard measure to estimate, and others so small that it was a miracle if they were not lost altogether. Do we need to remind our correspondents that reports should never be written on both sides of the paper?

Note.—What we have said re white.

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Note.—What we have said re white paper need not affect the use of post cards, which some of our contributors may find the most convenient.

The Sest Separt of the Week.

The representative of the composing room wore anything but a composed expression. "Look at this," he exclaimed, thrusting into our reluctant grasp a document which we recognized as a corps report. "The type-setter's done his best, and I've done my best, but what this thing's meant for we can none of

SKAGWAY.

The Indian work grows agace and it is getting very interesting. We are now having two Indian meetings on Sunday—one to Indian another at 5 percent of the sunday we have not much breathing time. Forty-fev have, up to the time of writing, professed conversion. The interpreter has become a soldier; his whole soul is taken up with the salvation of "his people." His wife is very intelligent, with a fine, prepossessing appearance, and is going to be excelled, Others have expressed their desires in this direction. My heart has been and is going to be envolled. Others have expressed their desires in this direction that the desires in this direction much the state of the desires in the desired of the d

AMHERST. — Things have been rather low, but are coming up. Nine sonds of late. Crowds and collections nearly doubled. S.D. target reached. Many timules to the kind friends who belped us. A beautiful place to sell war Crys—we very seldom have one left for Sunday. Our recent children's publice was a success. Quite a crowd came to listen to the little ones sing and recite, which they did beautifully. —F. J. Clarke and B. Pemberton.

BISMARCK.—Final farewell of Captain Halaton. Sanday and Monday Capt. Stretts with us. We rejoiced to see three sonls in the Fennian, one a man about 45 years old who has been a Homan Catholic and a very heavy drinker.—Fred. Bond, Lleut.

Major Pickering Fercibly Represents the Social Work.

Scale Work.

CHARLOTTETOWN.—To say that Major Pickering's visit was appreciated is far too mild. At the Saturday meeting the Major spoke particularly of South Africa. The discourses on Sunday were pregnant with genus of practical thought, delivered with truckly Ghost cioquence; there were visible results in both sout-saving and consecration. Monday evening the Major delivered his celebrated Social lecture to an audience that listened eagerly until a late hour. The Army will be better understood here as a result. He was accompenied on the trip by Letter. T. Urquinart, wisoscenet maste was good.—H.

CLINTON.—We had a Christmas

CLINTON.—We had a Christmas Tree for the children which was a grand success. The last Senday of the old year six precious souls knelt at the Cross. Three Juniors and three back-silders came home, and while the last

moments of the old year were pussing away one soul sought salvation.—Fred Brown.

The Klandikers all Right.

The Hendikers all light.

DAWSON CITY.—Sunday night, barracks full. Maguificent meeting. Three soldies stood up to be enrolled made the Blood-and-Fre Plag, and a found the Blood-and-Fre Plag, and a found declared his after the meeting of the stood of the second of the stood of the second of the show-mentloned soldiers was indifferent to the claims of God till reaching Dawson, the other two were reclaimed backsilders, one of whom knelt at the drum-head during the summer. Two of the new soldiers stand six feet high and have a very powerful physique. The devil will have to look out.—Adjutant Morris.

DEALTON—Na souls have been

DRATION.—No souls have been converted since last report, although we believe many have been converted. Good meetings all day Sunday. Capt. Lyun farewelled on Sunday including address on behalf of Captain's farewell, whom we are very sorry to lose, but we pray that God will bless him wherever he goes.—Rose Cooper.

What Came of Asking, "May! Come in?"

"GLACE BAY.—Lord, save souls, was the prayer of every soldier in our private holiness meeting on Friday night. A young lady came to the door and asked the Captain if she could come in to the meeting. Captain said, "Yes, you need holiness." Before the meeting closed she knelt at the pentiter form and got saved.—Sergt.-Major.

GRAND JUNCTION .- The soldiers of this corps thank our friends for their kind gifts given towards the helping of the Christmas dinner at Lewiston.—J. N. Sargent.

A Selvation Santa Claus

HALIFAX I.—The Christmas Cry was very good indeed, and the Juniors' Christmas Tree was grand. Crowded honse to witness the distribution of presents to the children. J. S. S.-M. Romans' impersonation of Santa Claus was all that could be desired. Quite a few have sought and professed to find Jesus as their personal Saviour since inst report.—Treas. Casbin.

HUNTSVILLE .- While our officers HUNTSYILLE.—While our officers were away at Major Traner's meetings and connells at Bracebridge we have seen souls saved. Theoday, at soldiers' meeting, one weary wanderer from God, who was sick in bed, was prayed into the Kingdom. On Sunday last a soldier who had haid down the cross also returned, and a shout of rictory went up as she rountarily told ma of her determination to take it up again. Then on Wednesday two more roduntered for salvation.—J. H., Sergit.-Major.

Sergit-Major.

LETHBRIDGE.—We have just celebrated our second Christmas in this corps, which surpassed anything ret, mancially, Ensign Perry, one Financial Speciel, was with us for four real good days. "Specials" each night large crowds, splendid collections, and above all, souls in the Fountain. Upon the strike of the midnight hour, which did us of another Christmas, thirteen of the comrades, led by the Ensign,

assisted by the cornet, bass, accordion, and antoharp, went out on a carolers' expedition. The friends visited showed deep appreciation, and invited us in opportate of their Christmas fare. We are praying for one dear brother, whom we trust will step out on God's promises through the instrumentality of the Lethbridge carolists. Our Lieutenant (now Captain) Wick furwells for Edmonton on Sunday.—Win. Farrow, R. C.

LISBON.—Christmas time triumphant. The tree was full of presents. We believe for great victories in the tuture.—C. R., R. C.

MISSOULA.—Capains Southall and Walruth gave a turkey dimner to the soldiers and friends of the Army, which was highly appreciated. The children's demonstration, consisting of songs, rectautions, and, last but not lenst, Santa Claus, was a great success.—J. H. Frost, R. C.

-J. H. Frost, R. C. MONTREAL IL—Studdy afternoon Staff-Capt. Taylor led a special meeting. Two recrulis were enrolled at night. Capts Jones and Downey farewelled after nearly eight months fighting with us. God has blessed their efforts, and the prayers and blessing of soldiers and friends go with them to their new appointment.

Faith and Farewells.

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NELSON, B. C.—On Friday night one soul sought and found the Pearl of Great Price, and on Saturday night we regoled over our Self-Denial effort with a coffee and cake social, which was a grand success. On the following Wednesdry Brigadder Howell conducted his farewell meeting, and on the Sunday following Adjt. Weodruff and Capt. Miller farewelled for another part of the field. They are leaving a lot of kind-hearted friends in Nelson who wish them Good-speed.

NEWCASTLE, N. B.—Just bad a visit from Ensign and Mrs. Jennings. who have been resting for some time. The meetings well attended all day Sunday. On Monday Ensign L. Lar-der with us. A number of our soldiers der with us. A number of our soldiers who have been away to the woods, came home for Christmas. We have also welcomed into our midst again Secretary Bessie Ashford, who has spent some roonthis in C. B.—Lent. M. A. Melkle, for Capt. A. B. Jackson.

NEW GLASGOW. — Began our Christmas celebrations by bolding an open-air at 10:30 c.m. Out again in the afternoon at 3 p.m., and again at the afternoon at 3 p.m., and again at 7 p.m., concluding with the Baid of Love demonstration at 7:30 p.m. The children are making great progress in their drills, recitations, and solos, owing to the great care and attention bestowed upon them by J. S. S.-M. Forsey. Wednesday we had a heart-scarching solders' meeting, when some of the comrades sought the blessing of a clean heart. Thursday night a red-hot salvation meeting, ending up with two souls in the Fountain. Friday night, instead of the hollness meeting, we devoted the evening to cleaning our barracks, making it clean for the New Year. Good meetings all day Sunday. In the afternoon we had a dedication service, when Adjutant Byers dedicated to God the lufant son of J. S. S.-M. Forsey. In the evening NEW GLASGOW. - Began

we had a red-hot battle for souls with one backsilder at the Cross seeking merey. The wittel-night service began at 11 p.m. Capt. Ryan and Lieut. Lebans, of Stellarton, were present. We finished up with nine seeking the blessing of a clean heart. The brass band is being re-organized under the leadership of Bandmaster Alcock.— C. E. Stevens.

NEWMARKET.—Grand closing of the old year. Blessings showered up-ou us. Soldiers on fire. Two sous decided for Christ. Wateb-night ser-yice a real old-tliner. Two more souls for salvation and several for cou-seration. Aux.

PEARCETON.—Beautiful meetings at 60 mor's Corners. People love the Army and are delighted to attend a meeting. Two meetings at fron IIII; blessed times, saints telt the power, sinners convicted. Much credit is due to Father Nargent, of Pearceton, who furnishes a horse, free of charge, to drive fifteen inlies to the above-named places, and back again. God bless him abundantly. Yours to conquer. L. Newell.

Flfty-two Sou's in One Week.

PHLIEY'S ISLAND, Our officers have farewelled, after fighting with us six months—six months of vletory, for our H. F. target was sanshed, we went \$10 over our S.-D., and the bast week of their stay 52 souls knett at the Cross.—shlfah Blackmore, Troas, for Capt. Sparks and Lieut. Reader.

Indians Advancing.

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POICT SIMPSON.— The winter months are our harvest in Port Simpson, as far as soul-saving is concerned, for when March comes they commence to fish, and they have sing to the fishing grounds. Port Simpson is a quiet place in summer time. I was in Fort Essington a week week of the Saturday and Studay. We saw one soul saved and curotile and soulders will be sould be suffered to the soul saved and curotile time the will inseed; it is 60×20, strongly and the soldiers, and they only over \$130 or the soldiers, and the conditions of the soldiers and the contain of the Church Aging and the Captain of the force the Student of the soldiers and we had a very good time together. The Captain was very kind to us, and Plerce, and Bennett assisted, and we had a very good time together. The Captain was very kind to us, and gave as shelter for the night and looked after as well. Yesterday I dedicated another baby, Herbert James McKay, and also agrolled 16 more solders. The wife of one of the men that was enrolled got saved in the night meeting.—Robt. Smith, Adjt.

PRINCE ALBERT.—We have had another visit from our T. F. S. Meetings were times of blessing to better times of blessing to be the second of the

JOHNS II., NAd.-On Swedley ST. 3UHNS II., Nild.- Om Swuding, night four prisoners were unpdated from the runks of the enemy, and two-more on Monday night. Our week of Self-Lenial has rolled by, Seegle-Mailor Coffiel and Sorgt. G. Lewis thing the champion collectors.— S. Morgon. for Capt. McLenn.

Six Feet of Salvather and Saniks.

Six Feet of Squarkon and Smiller.

VANCOUVER—Addit. Woodrawll and
Capt. Miller warmly welcomed to the
corps. Good meetings on Skablay.
One man connocrated his all. Theydre
the dismail weather, Christenass was in
cellite time. On the Edith sike bearmects
was decorated, and three stees filled
with pressynts. The children remisered
a good program of songs and rections. Two souls have been lorounds to
Good during past week. Cadet Curbey
has farewelled for the finest of the
Lord's buttles. Licett Jeons, of the
Shelter, is about six feet of subcauliaand smiles—B. Norman. E. C.
WOODSTOCK. Gutstie. Finishi-

WOODSTOCK. Ontatio. Finished 1809 with a glorieus watchight service. Deaps 1809 with a grand march, and mean to keep murching. I was stall came home yesterday. Other conserts coming on nicely.—J. Crawfood. Enseign.

ing on nicely.—J. Crawword, Lawgan.
WOODSTOCK, N. B.—Met the enemy shorp at 7 a.m. and a desperate
battle was waged, insting the whole
of the day, and a powerful salvation
wave swept four scale into size Fountain at night. Sergt.-Major Shen, with
has not been feeling very welf kneigt. has not been feeling very were setter, came into our meeting, and wish unner more of the comrades who got greatly blessed, was to be seen having a Hallelnjah dance. The wanteburght Hattenhall cance. Here was executed all previous rearrs. It was conducted by Singar and Mrs. Knight. Fourteen of me laid consciption out before the Lond affects. One selves out before the Lord affresh. One-backslider came home after having a hard fight, and got a sweeping wictory. -Lient, Deskin.

Central Ontario Deings.

By MAJOR TURNER.

(Concluded.)

Two days' special meetings, constants ing a Musical Festival, Local and Field Officers' Councils, and a Half-Night of Prayer, was the program for Bracebridge, with a fowl supper thrown in. The first night's synthesize took the nature of a Massical Fessival and a lar; e, appreciative enewel was present. Vext morning at 9:30 the Major met the Local and Field Officers of the District in council when many matters relative to the progress of the war were discussed. The afternoon war were discussed. The affectment council for Field Officers was much enjoyed by all present, and cach converted the formal and presented the war width renewed energy and determination for properties of the public meeting and Half-Night of Prayer were both times of disensing and resulted in Your sections coming to the Mercy Sent.

Gravonhurst

A drive next day brings as so Grav-enhurst, where we had a Mussical Fre-tival. This was the last smeeting for the officers here, who were flameweither to take charge of the new opening. Stargeon Fulls. The harmer's was-filled with a splendid andisence. The collections were A 1, and the meeting did much good. We said good-laye to Adjt. Cameron here, who has been with us round about the Islander and with us round about the Dismited and whose presence we appreciated nerv

Midland.

After an early morning trip. I amain meet Addt. Wignins, and its reseases with him journey to Middand for a special demonstration, and meet wate a crowded barracks and meet wate a crowded barracks and meet water and here a Christians Thee with a special program for the children, which was well readered, other which was well readered, other which was a compared to make the water within a come and make the within water was wen rendered, offer which santa Chus came and paid use einse-ren a special visit, much to their de-light. Capt. Huskinson, and Lieur. Stielells are doing an excellent work here, and God is blessing their labour ware much very much.

Orillia

The week-end was spent in Orillia in company with Adjt. Wiggins and

Adji. Fox. Saturday night was a many children who had gathered were Christman Tree entertainment, and the the recipients of a number of special gesseurs. Sunday, all day, in spite of a tremendous snow-storm, was a spiendid victory. We commenced at 7 o'clock in the morning, when two God, both of them boys who will deutstiess make Junior Cadets in the near future. The holiness and after noon meetings on Sunday, and also the seldiers' meeting which followed the afternoon's meeting, were preparthe afternoon's meeting, were prepar-afions for what was to come in the evening. At night, after a tremendous struggle, eight more came out for salvation. We wound up at midnight praising God for all the blessings He had bestowed.

The northern portion of the Province is cortainly making and the province is cortainly making and the province in the province is cortainly making and the province in the province is cortainly making and the province in the province is cortainly making and the province in the province in the province is contained in the province in the provinc

the northern portion of the Frostman is certainly making an improvement in every wny. The Junior work is looking up in nearly every corps; in fact, in every department the work shows tangible increase.

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We predict for the northern corps a
most successful winter's campaign.
Look well after the Juniors, my com
rades, and see to it that during the
next few months a permanent increase
is gained. God will help you. The
fields are white unto harvest, and,
with faith in God, backed up by your
own efforts, many who are now in own efforts, many who are now in darkness and sin will, ere long, know Jesus as their Saviour.



SCRIPTURES. ON THE STUDY OF THE

The Holy Scriptures are full of divine gifts and virtues. The books of the heathen rampit nothing of faith, hope, or charity; they present no idea of these things; they contemplate only the present, and that which man, with the use of material wisdom, can grasp and comprehend. Jook not therein for aught of hope or trust in God. But see how the Panims and the Book of Job treat of faith, hope, resignation and prayer; in a word, the Holy Scripture is the highest and kilds books, abounding in confort under all efficience and traits. It teaches all efficience and traits. It teaches all efficience and traits. It teaches the test, to feel, to grasp, and to comprehend faith, hope, and charity, further with the problem of the faith see, to feel, to grasp, and to comprehend faith, hope, and charity, far otherwise than mere human reason can; and when erd oppresses as, it teaches how these virtues throw light upon the darkness, and how, after this poor, miserable existence of ours or earth, there is another and an expentil the evernal life.

Naw to Judge It.

We ought not to criticise, explain, or fudge the Scriptures by our merreason, but diligently, with prayer, marking the thereon, and seek their mentions afford our care and understand the scriptures, by experience afford our exceptures, by experience are allowed to the scriptures, by experience are the scriptures, by experience are constructed. Without these we enter the scriptures, by experience are the scriptures, by experience are scriptures, by experience are scriptures. Without these we expert the fully flows and the scripture of the sc hone.

Re Mestery Prevents Errors.

He who has made himself master of the principles and text of the word, runs little risk of committing errors. A theologian should be thoroughly in possession of the bests and source of faith—that is to say the Hely Seri-perses. Armed with this knowledge is runs that I confounded and slienced all any adversaries; for they seek not to faithful and made and the Seriptures; faithm and understand the Scriptures; they run them over negligently and farowaity, they speak, they write they creek, according to the surgention of their headless imaginations. My combet is that we that write from time source and foundain. Scriptures we differently seems of the surgently surg single verse, one sentence of the text, is of far more instruction than a whole host of glosses and commentaries, which are neither strongly penetrating nor armor of proof.

Surpasses all Other Knowledge.

The Holy Scriptures surpass in ef-ficaciousness all the arts and all the aricured of the philosophers and jurists: these, though good and necessary to life here below, are vain and of no effect as to what concerns the life eternal. The Bible should be regarded with whoily different eyes from those with which we view other pub-lications. He who wholly renounces himself, and relies not on mere human himself, and relies not on mere human reason, will make good progress in the Scriptures; but the world com-prehends then not, from ignorance of that mortification which is the gift of Got's word. Can be who understand-not Got's word, understand Got's works? This is manifest in Adam: the called his first-horn son, Cain—that, its reasonage home-local this serhe called his first-born son, Cain-thais, so, possessor, house-lord; this son. Adam and Eve thought, would be the man of God, the blessed seed that would crush the serpent's bead After terwards, when Eve was with child again the hope of the series and son, called him And-that Is, vanity and nothingness; as much as to say, my hope is gone, and I am deceived.

Such is the World's Way

This was an image of the world and God's church, showing how things have ever gone. The ungodly Cain was a great lord in the world, white-Abel, that noright and pious man, was an outcast, subject and oppressed. But before God, the case was quite connerore God, ine case was quite con-rury; Cain was rejected of God. Abel accepted and received as God's beloved child. The like is alily seen here on earth, therefore let us not heed its doings. Islumae's was also a fair name-hearer of God—while Islanc's was naught. Essar's name means actor, the man that shall do the work—Lacob's was naught. The name of Absalom signifies "father of neace." Such fair and glorious colors neace." Such fair and glerious colors do the ungodily ever bear in this work while to truth and deed they are contempers, sonfers, and rehels to the word of Ged. But by that word, we God be praised, are able to discern and know all such; therefore let us hold the Bible to resident and the properties. the Bible in precious esteem, and dil igently read it.





I,-THE ANCIENT GREEKS

CHAPTER XXIII.

PHILOPEMEN, THE LAST OF THE CREEKS.

The jeniousy of Aratus made the Achainus put themselves under the yoke of Macedon to averthrew Sparta, but the Macedon that use soon became offous. Aratus bad been chosen ulmeteen times as General of the Achainus and became for a time the adviser of King Philip, soon of Antigonus of Macedonia. Philip, however, soon became suspicious of Aratus and had him imprisoned. If the distribution of the companion of Magnilopolis ectured from Crete to light for his country. He was a nobte-hearted man and an excellent General, who greatly improved the Achaina arous.

Sparta had nation under the power of a tystal was an object to make a many the fact of the companion of the The jealousy of Aratus made the

sent out all over the Peloponicsus.
Once a groom ran away with some horses, and sought refuge at Megalopolis. Nabls made this an excuse to attack the city and Messenia. The Achalan League ciecied Philopomen as their General, and he se defeated Nabls that he was forced to stay anome, while the Achalans ravaged Laconta. Philip of Maccolon offered his indi-

Philip of Maccdon offered his help

Philip of Macedon offered his help to drive out Nabts, but the Achalans now discreased him. Nabts invited on his part the Actolians from Haly to assist him, but to his own hurn, for these rother-alties murdered him and rothed Lacounia. Philopoenen married the invaders and persuaded the former to join the Achalan League. The Spartans, as a grateful recognition, wished to offer the magnificent palice to Philopoenen. but only with difficulty could one be tound who had the courage of offering the gift, which, however, was refused firmly.

thind with the tender was refused first. Which, however, was refused first. Alcanwhile, Philip of Macedon, assisted by Autochos, the Greek King of Syria, warred against the Actoliaus who had called upon the rising Romans to help them. Philip was completely defeated, and among other conditions of peace, had to renounce all claim of power over Greece. Then at Corints, et the great Olympian claim of power over Greece. Then at Corints, et the great Olympian more. His announcement was met with a tremendous shout and the crowds covered the Consul with garinusts, and almost sified him with their expressions of gratinote. The consultation of the country musters are all the country musters are all the country musters. An Achalan town was plundered by the Spartans, and the clad hatred between Achala and Lacon faired up again. Philopemen put latery Spartans to death and pulled down their walls, as well as abolishing their laws.

ing their laws.

Next the Messenians rose against the

Next the Messenans ross against the League, while Philopomen lay siek. In spite of his Illness, and at the age of seventy, he collected treeps and marched against the rebels. Through a blow on the head he was stunned, as how on the head he was stunned to the rose of the

there is no examined before the pea-ple. The populace, however, was nobler than the cassise of Philopeemen, and saw in him only the noble deliverer of Greece and the defeater of Nabis. So his ensules hurried him into a dangeon and sent an excentioner with the poison-cup to blan. Philopeemer taised himself and asked whether his Megaleonitian prograf and all excensi-Megalopolitan triends had all escoped, upon receiving an affirmative answer, he said. "You bring me good news." and swallowing the draught, he inid himself on his back and instantly died-He is called the last of the Greeks con the old school.

(To be continued.)

THE WA

Salvation Officers at Estcourt-Troops Receive Them Enthusiastically-The Biggest Sinner in Camp-Our Transvaal D. O. with Lord Methuen-The Horrors of War-Salvation After the Battle.

Thank God, Estcourt is again open! (I speak only from a Salvation Army standpoint, of course; so far as actual combatants are concerned our position is one of the strictest neutrality, with the strongest disposition to effect the largest possible amount of good among both the opposing forces). A report for our own War Cry of an interesting nature has just come to land from Capt. Shaw, one of our women-different who, with Ensign Hurley, teccutly proceeded to the front for duly monog the troops at Estcourt. In deserbling their first meeting at the soldiers' camp, she states that the troops received them most gladly and enthusiastically. Some of the men mutual control of the faces. When we

Three Cheers for the Salvation Army,

Three Cheers for the Salvation Army, and one man pressed forward to shake hands and tell us that he felt twenty pounds lighter! Another confessed that he was the biggest sincer in the camp. One and all begged us to come again, as they enjoyed the meeting of thoroughly." Capt. Shaw further states that one of our Durhan I. self-sher is the states that one of our Durhan I. self-sher is the states that one of our Durhan I. self-sher is the states that one of our Durhan I. self-sher is the states of the states that the states that the states and the states and the states and the states are states are states and the states are states are states and the states are states a sign and Captain are agreed that this was one of the most powerful meetings they have ever been in, and they are hopeful of having permission to continue them while the troops are in camp. They make an appeal for Army Hernture to distribute among the soldiers, and the Commissioner the soldiers, and the Commissioner the soldier that there will be a glad response, not only for Natal, but for all the great military centres in South Africa.

Africa.

Major Swain and Ensign Scott, who left Cape Town hast week for the front, have now come in full touch with Lord Methuen's brigade, which, at the time of writing, are proceeding to the relief of Kimberley, with base at Orange River, where, according to the latest advices they are waiting for

The Reception of the Wounded

in the most recent engagements at Gras Pan, and towards Honey Nest Kloof. Our comrades anticipate pushing on to Kimberker, and, in the event of British successes, thence to Mafeking and towards the Transvall. The of British successes, thence to Shifeking and towards the Trunsvan. The
advantage of this policy is that shiftour special officers are doing all necessary spiritual work, and administering,
our will be able to come in immediate
touch with those of our fellow-comrudes who have been so long isolated,
extending to them the right hand offellowship and love, and encouraging
them to persevere in the fight. Morerower, they will be able to set up the
Salvation banner once sgain at places
where, through no fault of our own,
the glorious work has had to be suspended, right up to and beyond Johannesburg and Pretoria. In these directions at least, our British officers
and soldlers will wish Major Swain
and Ensign Scott "God-speed" and
His richest bleesing.
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His richest bleechen.

Taiking of the suspension of our operations leads me to make special mention of the great and increased difficulties we are facing in the matter of the circulation of our War Cry and Young Soldier. I have airetdy refered, in my previous letters, to the temporary stoppage of all corns work in the Transvanl and Orange Free State Division, and places also in Appendix of the Company of the Company of the Company of the Soldier of the Company of the

Serious Prop in the Circulation

of the War Cry and Young Soldier, and has now necessitated the publica-

tion of our Juniors' paper fortnightly, for the nouce, instead of weekly, in order to economise. It is well to state these facts so that War Cry readers may fully realize how great are the obstacles which we have to encounter, and for which we are in no way responsible. The evils of war are becoming increasingly felt in every direction and by every section in the religious world in general, and by the Salvation Army in particular.

The "glorles" of war we have yet to

Salvation Army in particular.

The "glorles" of war we have yet to discover. The derailing of the line at Stormberg Junetton now means that we are unable to promptly despatch War Crys to such important centres as Port Elizaheth, East London, King Williams Town, and Queenstown, with places adjacent in the Eastern Division. These can only reach their destination via the sea, and just now the unparalleled netivity in the matter of ransport arrangements places the ordinary passenger steamers for coast towns wholly at the mercy of the millitary authorities, with the result that there are tremendous delays both in arrival and despatch of the Union and Castle Companies' boats from Cape Town. The Eastern corps are suffering not a little in consequence.

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Adjt. Murray, and the special Brit-ish Naval and Military Section at Natal are commencing active opera-

Necessity for Leaving the District

will take M.s. Bradley with them.
Adjt. Bradley arrived in Cape Town
with the Zulu Party ou Sunday, and
on Monday evening they were given a
grand welcome at the Cape Town Citadel, under the Commissioner's leadership. They intend making an effort to get through to Mooi River as quick-ly as possible.

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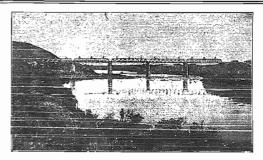
There is plenty of bustle and activity round and about Territorial Hendquarters, and soul-saving work is being vigorously carried on in the Westlern and Eastern Divisions. God lives, and so does the Salvation Army, despite all the borrid outside drawbacks consequent on the war. Hallelujah!

Table Bay just now has an appear-

ten by Eusign Scott. I shall deal mora fully with its contents next week; but your renders will be interested to near that he and Major Swain have already got well into harness, and within a few hours of their arrival at the camp were instrumental in the salvation of one of the Scots Guards at their first meeting. Both officers are doing

Splendld Work Among the Wounded,

and their story of some of the horrors of war as witnessed by them is of the most harrowing description. Just one picture, as described by the Easign, in all its bidcous simplicity: "One of the Guards, a big fellow, thrust his hayonet through the body of a Bocr, who, with his dying strength shot him through the head,



Rallway Eridge over the Tugela near Colenso.

This bridge has sluce been blown up by the Bocrs. Near this spot the greatest battle of the South African War is expected to be fought.



Ylew of Ladysmith, Natal.

This place has been besieged for over two months by the Boers, who were repulsed with great loss in their attempt to take it by assault on Janu-

tions, and we shall probably be recelving a budget of news from them in the near future. From Major Smith, of Zuiuland, comes an intima-Smith, of Zululand, comes an intima-tion that no further news has been received concerning the present cir-cumstances or whereabouts of Ensign and Mrs. Hendy. The same thing ap-plies to Capt. Franklin, referred to in my letter a fortnight ago. Fighting has been going on at Mool River (Bramwell Settlement), but Majon Smith has no fear of Mrs. Adjulont Bradley's safety, as ahe is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Boshoff, esteemed friends of the Army, who, if there is any ance which is unique in the history of the port. Of course, the war is re-sponsible for the presence of many of the vessels crowding the Bay, and it is a foreible demonstration of

The Maritime Strength

of Great Britain. Inside the docks every foot of berthage is occupied; in the roadstead there are anchored something like thirty or forty ships of all kinds, steam and sail, large and

Since writing the above a long, in-teresting letter reaches me from the military camp at Orange River, writ-

both men dying almost simultaneous-ity? Well may the Ensign ask— "Is this war, and is this glory?" As I close the steam whistles at the newspaper offices in Cape Town are being blown at their loudest, latimatbeing blown at their loudest, intimating the issue of yet another special edition containing news of a bloody battle at Modder River. I shall obtain the stories of our devoted officers who have been shut up there for the last six weeks as promptly as possible for despatch to the War Cry.—G. Stevens, Staff-Capt.

From St. Johns II. to Heaven.

Death has claimed another victim the person of Sister Sarah Jane

Our comrade was sick just two

Our comrade was sick just two weeks when the messenger came. Be fore she passed nway her testimory was, "All is well." We feel sure that our siter has gone to join the Blood-washed throng.

The service at the grave was very the strength of the service at the grave was very the hands uplifted, "I'll be true, Lord, to Thee," heaven came very near. We committed our dear courage to the distance of the service was considered and the service two souls sought and found the Saviour. We pray that God will comfort those who are bereaved, and keep us faithful untill death.—S. Morgan for Capt. Mc-Lean.

Culvary.-A little hill to the eye, but the only spot upon the earth that touches heaven.



View of Mafeking, Bechuanaland, Now beleaguered by the Boers. We had a corps in this town before the war.

West Ontario Forces Still in Possession of Toronto.

A NEW MOVE BY EAST ONTARIO.

THEY MARGH ON LONDON

Stupendous Results to Follow.

WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO THE HAST 2

By ERNEST ENTERPRISE

THE ONTARIO COMPETITION.

West Ontario Province East Ontario Province Central Ontario Province -

The plight of the Central Obtario troops seems more hopeless than ever. Not only have they been driven from deer position, but a number of serious deer position, but a number of serious deer from have taken, place, leaving their forces much similar than the recessive demands. Larest reports indicate that 30 per cent. of the original force has deserted, or are missing, it will modoubredly take them two or, there weeks, at least, before they are able to again offer battle to the West Ontario troops.

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Much praise is being meted out to our London troops. Their stratogy in out-flahking the enemy, and in successfully reconnotring his position, thus making it easy to attack suddenly, has brought much joy to the hearts of the Province. There is a censuar supply of food stuffs and ammunition, and it appears as if the cap-ared city can be held for a long time against any combination of forces.

The East Ontario braves have, for reasons of their own, seve ed diplomatic connections with Wet Omario and are invading their territory. They realize that it were value in expect much glory from associating themselves with the West Ontario forces in Totonto, so in order to obtain the supremacy, they are marching on London, and hope to capture it. By so doing they will become pos-essors of both London and Toronto, as it would be next to know the first their brave of supplies in the country of the control of the west to know the control of the west with their brave of supplies in the country's hands. Truly they have braughtand a daring move.

THE "EAST VS. WEST" COMPETITION.

The Eastern Province has again foiled me in my efforts to declare the

winner.

It Is altogether likely, however, that
they would have been winners, as the
Pacific has done poorly.

Our gallant Klondike boomers are snowed and Irozen in completely. We shall hear from them all at once,

The North-West has done well, though somewhat below their bighwater mark. Terhaps Majer Southall and his aids are preparing a surprise.

The individual honor list is composed

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Long life and lots of success to

Our comrades at Glace Bay, N. B. seem to be of the good old-fashloned type. Listen!—"Still the rush for the

War Cry continues. Christmas Crys all sold out; even some of the soldiers didn't got one. There is no use, Captain will have to increase his or-der." Say, comrade, that's music hi my enr. It makes me feel good all over. Of course, Captain Thompson will rise. Why, of course he will!

THE ONTARIO PROVINCES.

WEST ONTARIO PROVINCE.

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| Cadet Leggot, Temple | 50 |
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| Capt. Howcroft, Owen Sound | 50 |
| Capt. White, Riverside | 45 |
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| Sergt. Mrs. Kane, St. Catharines . | 42 |
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| Capt, McKay, Devil's Lake | 82 |
| Capt. Meyers, Edmonton | 80 |
| Cadet McRas, Winnipeg | 74 |
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A VISIT TO CEYLON AND ITS ARMY OPERATIONS.

By COLONEL MUSA BHAI.

The city of Colombo, the capital of the island of Ceylon, would be the best place for a visitor to land who leaves Great Britain with a desire the constant of the Salvet of the Salvet

If you are fortunate in catching the land-breezes as the steamer skirts the coast-line of South Ceylon, within sight of land, you would actually suffithe proverbial

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For miles along the sca-border of South Ceylon is a friuge of changmon gardens, under waving coconnut paims. The green verdure and thick foliage round about Colombo have a pleasing effect to the eye necusion of the ocean between the steeper of the ocean that the sights that claim attention—the bost-londs of fruits and tender ecounts, curiosities, such as carved or tortoise-shell work, with quaint looking Moor-men, Singhalese, or Parava vendors, in different styles of costumes, or no costumes at all!—the dexterous boys, with thy bits of loin-cloth on their fragile katamarans, with their one chorus of "Dive, dive, mingled with Singhalese and Tamil speakers' verhostites, which sound alternately soft or guitural, with occasional words in English. The big piles of Government and other buildings, the rows and rows of tile-roofed houses, would banish from your mind any fantastic idea you might have of rude muchovels and semi-barbarism, any way in Indian towns and critiss.

Anidst the diverse crowds, you would notice the pleasing and striking contrasts of the

Orange and Red Uniform

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of the Singhalese Salvationist as he comes to meet you. You land, say, in the morning, and during the quarter-of-an-hour's walk (for you would prefer to walk) to the Territosia Headquarters, your quick eye would have noticed the hig European hotels, telephone wires, earrlages, rikshaws, builock bandies tanta drawn by tall oxen), European and Asiatic shops, typical Oriental bazars, and quite a variety of European and Eastern costumes, and half-clad laborers (Coolles), giving you an idea of the people in this rising city. Perhups, after a slight refreshmen at Headquarters, you will have a look at our three halls in the city, the Keseue and Prison Gate Homes, and book by the seaside railway to Luus-

Regene and Prison Gate Homes, and book by the seaded rullway to Lundbook by the seaded rullway the seemed to the first batch of forty effects from England, in 1886.

After this, you return to Colombo, and book by the morning train the next day to Rambukhana, the Divisional Headquatters for our work in the up-country villages of Ceylon. In the up-country villages of Ceylon, but the seaded rullway to Lundbook the seaded rullway to the seaded rullway to sead rullway the seaded rullway the seaded rullway to sead rullway the seaded rullway the seaded rullway the seaded rullway to sead rullway the seaded rullway the seaded rullway the seaded rullway the seaded rullway to sead rullway the seaded rullway to seaded

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coconnut, tea, cocca, and other plantations, and rich jungle land with rippiling mountain streams, enlivened by
varied bird songaters, lowing cows,
dreamy-buffalos, lying lazily in muddy
pools of water, and last, but not least,
the Singhalese goyas (cultivators) busy
longhing their land or fussing about
odds and ends of work.

The men Singhalese villagers, as a
rule, grow their beards, and wear their
hair long, ited into a knot like women.
This is the national custom of the
Singhalese of all clusses of society.
While engaged at work, or elsewhere,
the laborloy man contents blusself

MUSA BHAI.

with a small piece of loin-cloin tied tightly around his waist with the ever-handy dagger-shaped knife, with its sheath, stuck in the girdle. The woman laborer will have an additional cover for the hody in the shape of a loose jacket or a piece of cloth. The laboring classes, however, in their holiday attire, or "Sunday best," are totally different. The men in addition to their gay colored waist-cloths, wear a shirt, or a shirt and cont, and a round tortoise-shell comb on their head retulned to the state of the shape of

unusual gathering a kadjau-pandal (palm-leaf shed) would be erected to shelter the people from the scorching sun. The Army converts and others would be comfortably seated on rush nuts (some families bringing their own mats). The ill-clad ones, who, as a rule, are

Bigoted Buddhists,

are only drawn from their work as sightseers, and refusing to be seated, would hang around the pandal. As the meeting gets warm under the leadership of the white officer in charge of the Territory, you, if you are at all critical, would see at a glance the wisdom of our placing ourselves on the level of the villagers we seek to benefit. The "perfectly at home" style of the chief white officer with his village comrades in everything would be striking. At the close of the meeting "fishers" would be husy, and many an obstinate Buildhist, melled by the power of God, would thread bis way from the ranks of the Ill-elad onlookers to the table, as the two rustic chairs, which had been louned by the Sergt-Major for the occasion, are aniled, to accept christ and His salvation. Some such scenes will reward your visit it you go in the power of God. only drawn from their work as

vices, held in special temporary sheds erected for the purpose, get largely nettended, and last from a fortnight to a mouth, or longer. The Army work has been made doubly uphill by perverts from European and American Christendom visiting the Island, and through their addresses and example, making the poor, misguided people securer in their false faith than before.



We are prepared to asswer questions and give information upon any authors are as it is possible for us to do so. We will asswer enquiries about sufer us to do so. We will asswer enquiries about sufer to the control of the control o

Sister L. H.-Question: Why is it that three is on hany good; cople who seam to be in earnest about working for God, and does so much good, and yet they are so erankey and disagreable to get along with. They, as it where, fly of the handle at every little thing? I used to think, how was it that Christians are all cranky and cross, and that people who were not Christians were much nieer? But I thank God from the depth of my heart that I have found a few that are sweedly saved, and only a few. My Bible teaches me that we must love everybody, and if we have our hourst filled with love, and Christ living thire, by faith on the Son of God, why, thire will not be even a corner left for the devil to get in.

Answer: You have answered your Sister L. H .- Question: Why is it

Answer: You have answered your own question fairly well. If you will partake of your own prescription, and "love everybody" you will soon be surprised how different other people will look to you. We detect in others those fair to ourselves.

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DEAR MAJOR HORN:

DEAR STAJOR HOLEN:
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J. S. McLean, Adjt.

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My Drar Major :

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G. S. EDGECOMBE.

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Received my band suit al! O.K. Good fit.
Am very well pleased with same. Will be
pleased to leave my order with you in future
for any clothing I may require.
BANDSMAN FRED. S. BARNES,
Montreal.

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according to the means at the disposal of the wearers to

Help Peed Their Vanity.

for, alas! even in the Asiatic countries as in European lands, vanity-rules the nuchanged human beart. In the holiday dress the women appear very different from what they do when

tine holiday cress the women appear very different from what they do when in their untidy working-clothes. The children, in whom, as a rule, their fathers and mothers are fondly attached, share their parents' finery. This is the slight that would greetyou (as it would with more or less moderation, in every part of Todia) as you reach Hewadwilla, the nearest village corps to Rambukhana, after a tramp of seven inlies, through village road, jungle path, and paddy field. To do honor to the visitors, a few hundred four converts and other folks would have been gathered by the energetic Singhalese Divisional Officer. The visitor would be conscious of the perfect Oriental scene and surroundings. Seeing that the village barracks is too small for the

However, being pressed for time, you cannot visit the corps and branch societies in the Division, nor inspecting of the Village Schools, but basten back to Rambukhana, and thence house to Rambukhana, and thence the steamer that leaves every evening for Tuticorin, on the mainland of India. Before, however, you bid furewell to Brigadler Prabhu Dus (Ainpi) the Ceylon Commander, and our devoted comrades, let me say

A Word About Buddhlem,

the religion of South Coylon. It has the religiou of South Ceylon. It has its many temples scattered over the length and breadth of the country. The Malkahawa, at Kandy, is a famous temple, enshrining the supposed tooth of Buddha, and has pilgrims from Burmah and Slam every year. Practical athelsm is the foundation of this religion, with a hollow, but very pretentious, superstructure of moral teachings. Occasionally priests visit village centres, and hold special services, expounding their "truths," and stirring their people up. These ser-



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(First Insertion.)

ANDERSON, KARL EJNAR. Born in Denmark, age 40, tall, fair, dark eyes. Last address, in 1889, Henderson, Kentucky, U. S. A. Mother is dend, sister very anxious. Address Enquiry, Toronto.

McKENZIE, DOUGLASS. Height 5 ft. 6 lm, rather stout, fair bulr, blue eyes, dark moustache. Left Port Rowan two months ago. Wife and two children in great need. Address Enquiry, Toronto.

Mcintyres, Findlay, Left Ren-frew December, 1889, Lust heard from Malta P. O., Ichabo, in 1892, Height 5 ft. 1 in., light brown balt, blue eyes, weight 188. Sisters Mary Jane and Christiania enquire. Address Enquiry, Toronto.

(Second insertion.)

HOWARD, ROBERT GEORGE.
Age 30. Address two years ago, Jack-sonville, Mich. Supposed to he working in hotel on Bahama Islands. Occupation plumber. Father dend. Needed at home. Mother enquires. Address Enquiry, Toronto.



The Fountain of Grace.

Tunes.—Stella, (B. J. 25); Madrid (B. J. 170); Enton (B. J. 167, 2); Sagina (B. J. 208, 2). Oh, Thou, the sout's enduring tite.

My fainting pirit eries to Thee I Take Thou, in love, Thy pruning knife. And cut these marks of death from

The pain these wounds of love will

give,
May make my soul for ever live.

'Tis Thou, the Fount of plenteous

This Thou, the Fount of pienteous grace,
Who can alone my soul reclaim;
For sin it cannot find a place
But at the Cross, where Thou was:
slain;
Though often it has been before,
Thy love and patience are not o'er.

Thy love and patience are not over.

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Full Salvation.

Tunes.—Conference (B.J. 74); Auld Lang Syr.e (B.J. 38); Give me n heart (B.J. 69, 7); The harp that

Oh, glorious news of heavenly grace.
Christ shall in me appear,
I, even I, shall see His face,
I shall be hely here!

Jesus makes my heart His

home, My sin shall all depart; And, lo! He saith, "I quickly come To fill and rule Thy heart!"

Be it according to Thy word, Now cleanse me from all sin; My heart would now receive Thee,

Lord, Come in, my Lord, come in.

Saviour, to Thee my soul looks up, My present Saviour Thou; In all the confidence of hope I claim the blessing now.

Tis done! Thou dost this moment

with full salvation bless;
Salvation through Thy Blood I have.
And spotless love and peace.

Singing all the Time.

Tune,-Singing all the time (B.J. 228).

I feel like singing all the time, My sins are washed away; For Jesus is a Friend of mine, I'll serve Him every day.

Chorus.

Singing glory, glory, etc.

When on the cross my Lord I saw, Nailed there by sins of mine, Fast fell the burning tears; but now I'm singing all the time.

When fierce temptations try my heart I'll sing, "Jesus is mine!"

Marching Along.

Tunes.—Come, join our Army (B.B. 14); I'm happy (B.B. 47). Come, join our Army, to battle we Zo,

Jesus will help us to conquer the foe; Defending the right and opposing the wrong, The Salvation Army is marching a

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Chorus.

Marching along, we are marching a The Salvation Army is marching a-

The Salvation Arm, is long.
Soldiers of Jesus, be valiant and strong.
The Salvation Army is marching a

Come, join our Army, the foe must be

Come, Join our Army, one driven, driven, driven, and driven, To Jesus our Captain the world shall be given; It neil should surround us, we'll press through the throng, The Salvation Army is marching a

Come, join un Array, the foa we dety. True to our rol is vell fight till we die: "Saved from all sin," is our war ers

and song.

The Salvation Army is marching a long.

Still There's Mercy.

Tunes. Christ now sits (B.J. 225, 5 slowly); Reusseau (B.J. 189, 1); Tossing like a troubled ocean (B.B. 22); Haydis (B.B. 22); Pleyel's (B.J. 22), 5); Weber (B.B. 22); 211, 2); Nottingham (B.J. 217, 2).

Depth of mercy! can there be Mercy still reserved for me? Can my God His wrath forbear, Mc, the chief of sinners, spare?

Chorus,

God is love, I know, I feel, Jesus lives and loves me still.

Another Chorus.

You are drifting, you are drifting to your doom,
Yet there's mercy, yet there's mercy
still for you.

I have long withstood His grace, Long provoked Him to His face; Would not hearken to His calls, Grieved Him by a thousand falls.

Jesus speaks and pleads His Blood, He disarms the wrath of God! Now my Master's mercles move, Justice lingers into love.

There for me the Saviour stands, Shows His wounds and spreads His hands! God is love! I know, I feel Jesus weeps, and loves me still!

Claim Salvation.

Times.—From Greenland's ley mountains; er, My soul is now unite. (B.J. 118).

Come home, come home, backelider The Henvenity Father will Forgive the past of follows. And freely love Thee still. This gracious invitation Obey as from the Lord; The Joys of Ills salvation To thee shall be restored.

Redeeming grace is flowing,
its sweetness all may prove;
His mercy God is showing
To those who seek His love.
This blessed truth we chevish,
Proclaim it far and nigh;
God willeth none should portsh,
But dwell with Him on high,
Sergt.-Major Glibby,
Pembroke Dock.